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GOV. JOHNSON IN NO HURRY TO WARN WILSON

[illegible] UNTIL JUNE 10 TO REPORT ON LAND BILL.

PRESIDENT IS WAITING

ON WOULD STREET DELEGATION [illegible]

JAP PROTEST STILL A SECRET

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G. O. P. EATING CROW

REPUBLICANS SEEK TO BRING [illegible] BACK INTO THE FOLD.

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KILLS AT WOMAN; IS STABBED

Young New Yorker Affected by an Auto Party, Who Stack Him and Escape.

New York, May 12.—The automobile [illegible] for the escape of [illegible] in this manner, when some [illegible] motor party, including five men and two women, leaped from a [illegible] the street and stabbed Frank [illegible] in the back. Nevertheless [illegible] was taken to a hospital [illegible] condition.

[illegible] he declared he was an [illegible] passer-by, his companions [illegible] had shouted something to [illegible] in the car, angering [illegible] the occupants sent his car off at [illegible] the stabbing and [illegible] proceed [illegible] a [illegible]

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Gov. Hunt of Arizona Has Japanese Land Question to Consider

When public sentiment was concentrated on the work of the California legislature in its efforts to pass a bill to exclude Japanese from land ownership, Governor Hunt of Arizona, the American borderland state, was called on to consider the same question which is now before the California legislature. Governor Hunt is now in Washington and it will be his duty to discuss the matter with President Wilson and perhaps with Secretary W. J. Bryan.

The Japanese Steel Strong and [illegible] are prominent over the [illegible] of the Arizona [illegible] in California on his way to Japan with the body of the wife that died here last week, and Henry Hunt, son of the movie [illegible] of the [illegible], is in jail in [illegible] on a charge of killing an young Japanese woman there.

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SAYS STEEL TRUST TRADE DEVELOPER

PRESIDENT FARRELL OF CORPORATION TESTIFIES IN THE DISSOLUTION CASE.

ENORMOUS BUSINESS IS DONE

$21,000,000 in 1904 and $92,000,000 in 1912—Have Agents in the Fiji Islands.

New York, May 12.—The United States steel corporation was pictured today by James A. Farrell, its president, as a combination organized, not to suppress competitors, but to develop the sale of steel in foreign lands, a development which could not have been accomplished, he said, if the corporation had not taken the various companies competing for foreign business under its wing.

He was testifying as the first witness for the defense in the government suit to dissolve the corporation as a combination in restraint of trade.

Mr. Farrell amazed his hearers by his intimate knowledge of affairs in all parts of the world, and held them keenly interested as he narrated the story of his rise from a common laborer in a steel mill at the age of 15, to be the head of the greatest industrial corporation in the world at the age of 50.

The witness traced the growth of the steel corporation's export business from 202,000 tons the first year it was organized, to 2,246,000 tons in 1912, and from $21,000,000 in value in 1904, to $92,000,000 in 1912, and said efforts of the corporation to push its foreign trade had been "continuous and indefatigable."

The result had been that 50 per cent of the country's foreign trade in steel was done by the corporation, he said.

Make Strong Effort.

"We have made the strongest effort possible to increase our foreign trade as compared with our domestic trade," Mr. Farrell declared.

"Our competitors have only been concerned with foreign business when domestic trade has been insufficient to keep their capacity employed. We have kept after the foreign trade continuously. If we had not, it would have been impossible to develop it."

Contradicting the testimony of Wm. H. Corey, his predecessor as president of the corporation, that there had been [illegible] between the steel corporation and the Pittsburgh district [illegible] of the United States Steel Corporation, Mr. Farrell said:

"We have never operated under any pools or agreements with English manufacturers, either as to prices or territory. We have never entered into any contracts or agreements with foreign manufacturers to stay out of their market, provided they would stay out of ours."

Prices Are Same.

He denied also that the corporation "made a practice" of selling its products lower abroad than in this country.

"In fact, some of our commodities are sold higher," he said. Before the corporation was organized, the witness recalled, green steel companies were competing for foreign business. On being taken over, their foreign offices were combined under one office and their operations systematized. In 1908 the United States steel products company was organized to take charge of the foreign trade and push it.

Extensive studies were made "of the economic conditions," of foreign countries, that business could be done according to the usages and requirements of each particular market.

The processes of manufacture at the mills of the corporation were adapted to meet these requirements.

The corporation established agencies from Holland to the Fiji Islands—all in all—Mr. Farrell said, and in order to push the export business of the subsidiaries had greatly increased.

In the year of the Carnegie Steel company, it was 34 per cent of the whole production.

A diversity of products enabled the corporation to meet all demands, from bed plates to steel bridges. No single company with one or two products, he said, could have maintained these facilities at such an extensive scale.

Mr. Farrell told of selling wire in Birmingham, tubes in Furnace, steel products in Duluth and wire fencing in South Africa.

Sold Many Steamships.

Steamships had been bought or chartered to carry steel to ports all

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Girl Killed, Another Badly Hurt As Auto Gets On a Rampage

New York, May 12.—Streets around school No 16 in Brooklyn, were filled with children just let out for luncheon, when an automobile truck became unmanageable and charged a group of little girls.

Mabel Palmer, aged ten, was killed, and Marcella Kelley, four, was fatally hurt.

Led by a few grown-ups, the children attacked O. L. Mount, the chauffeur, and were threatening to lynch him when police reserves rescued him.

As the fatality appeared to be purely an accident, Mount was released by the police.

Kills 1; Wounds One; Woman in the Case

Little Rock, Ark., May 12.—Henry Coburn, a young farmer, shot and killed Dick Curtis and probably fatally wounded his brother, Will Curtis, in Saline county, twenty-five miles from here, late yesterday afternoon.

Trouble over a young child of Will Curtis and Mrs. Coburn, from whom he was divorced two years ago, caused the shooting.

Coburn surrendered today, claiming self-defense.

Pleads Not Guilty in Pandering Case

Los Angeles, May 12.—Emma J. Goodman, alias "Josie Rosenberg," pleaded not guilty today to two grand jury indictments charging pandering.

She is charged with having been the means of introducing two young girls to Geo. H. Bixby, indicted on charges of having contributed to the girls' delinquency.

She is in jail in default of $20,000 bail.

N. Y. Aldermen Get Free Joyful Rides

New York, May 12.—The district attorney's office continued today the investigation of the failure of the board of aldermen to pass ordinances to regulate taxicab prices.

Two witnesses submitted books which showed that twenty city officials were given free rides, aggregating $10,000 a year by one company.

Accused Warden Is Anxious for Probe

Ossining, N. Y., May 12.—John S. Kennedy, warden of Sing Sing prison, declared today he would ask the grand jury to investigate the report of conditions at Sing Sing, submitted by George W. Kirchwey to Governor Sulzer.

Mr. Kennedy said he would request the grand jury to ascertain if the criminal libel law had been violated.

Steals $120,000 and Sentenced 8 Years

Newark, N. J., May 12.—Robert M. Fretz, defaulting ex-president of the Washington National bank of Washington, N. J., was sentenced today to eight years at hard labor in the state prison.

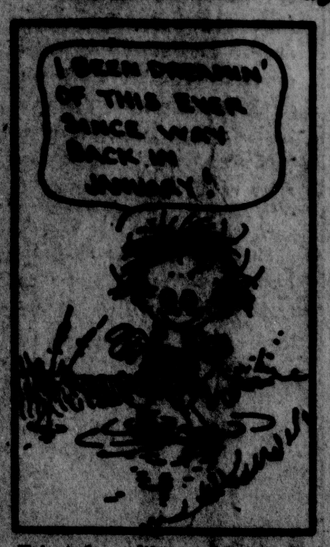
Fretz's theft amounted to about $120,000.

Falls to His Death in Quest of Eggs

Salem, N. J., May 12.—Wm. Crispen [illegible] in the [illegible] last Friday in quest of [illegible] and he fell 200 feet to his death. [illegible] was 22 years of age.

[illegible] hunting wild birds' eggs all over the country.

Fair Again Today; Showers On Way



Fair today with no change. Probable showers by Thursday. Temperatures and [illegible] by Dr. [illegible].

Local Temperature.

Maximum 88; minimum 69. Barometer 30.50. Humidity [illegible].

Government Forecast.

Washington, May 12.—[illegible] Texas—Fair Tuesday. Wednesday [illegible] in the south portion; [illegible] Thursday and Friday; [illegible] Friday.

500 DEAD LYING ON BATTLE FIELD

MEXICAN SOLDIERS FALL DURING THREE DAYS' FIGHT NEAR GUAYMAS.

HIGH OFFICERS AMONG KILLED

Plot to Steal Ammunition From U. S. Army at Nogales, Ariz., Is Nipped.

Nogales, Ariz., May 12.—More than 500 dead are lying on the battlefield above Guaymas. The soldiers fell during three days desperate fighting last week.

Col. Juan Cabral, who arrived today from the front, reported he had estimated the killed to exceed 500.

A trainload of oil and fire wood was rushed south with which to cremate the bodies.

The official report of General Alfaro Obregon, the insurgent commander, stated the federal killed alone numbered 500, with 300 Huerta soldiers taken prisoners.

Both sides have been executing all commissioned officers captured.

Among the dead found on the field about Guaymas were identified the bodies of Lieutenant Colonels Reyes and Villesmor of the federals, and Major Cota of the state troops.

Cut Off From Retreat.

There was little fighting Sunday or early today. Driven to the last station north of the gulf port, the remnants of the federal army of some 2,500 found itself cut off from further retreat.

Believing the lack of food and water soon would force a surrender, the state troops contented themselves with holding the federals in their position, occasionally harrassing the extreme lines when any attempt was made to move toward Guaymas.

The 300 federals left in Guaymas did not move from the town.

A. C. Villesmor, the prefect of Nogales, was arrested here today by military authorities. He is charged with the marshal of the Arizona town and others with implication in a plot to steal ammunition from the United States troops of the fifth cavalry on border patrol here.

Town Marshal Arrested.

Cal Wright, the town marshal, and John Wilson, a bartender, were released on bail of $1,000 each.

Two United States soldiers, also arrested, were released without bail, it being said they acted as informants for the government.

It is charged the soldiers were to have been paid $2,000 each for admitting the men into the store tent, and that when arrested, Wright and Wilson had their arms filled with ammunition.

It is also charged that it was planned to get an additional 44,000 rounds from the railroad warehouse, where it was held by customs authorities.

Americans Are Not Safe.

Brownsville, Tex., May 12.—Owing to failure of the main body of rebels under Blanco to arrive, an expected attack on Matamoras has been delayed. The men seen two miles from the city this evening evidently withdrew to await Blanco. He is reported [illegible] 25 miles west of Matamoras.

Major Beaucoe, commander of the Matamoras garrison, tonight said he would not be responsible for the safety of Americans in Matamoras. He intimated an attack on the city may occur at any time during the night, but more probably at sunrise.

Wilson's Bill Passes.

Trenton, N. J., May 12.—The assembly this afternoon by a vote of 39 to 14, passed the Egan jury reform bill, after it had been amended by attaching a state-wide referendum. The measure without the referendum was the so-called chancellor-sheriff bill which President Wilson agreed to as a compromise when he was in New Jersey a few days ago.

Leasey on Bonds.

Austin, May 12.—The attorney general's department today held that road and school bonds are not exempt from taxation; that towns having a population of less than 21000 are not authorized to issue [illegible] that road districts are not [illegible] by law to tax the intangible [illegible] of railroads; that the commissioners' courts might direct that interest accruing from road bonds be placed to the credit of the road fund or any other fund they might desire.

PEN PRIGGERS WILL LOSE PAY

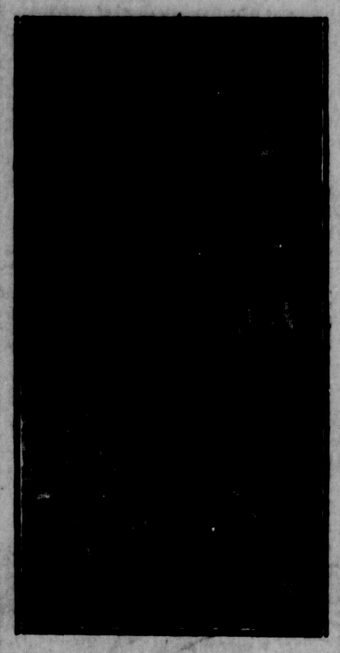
Attorney General Will Declare Legislators Cannot Receive Extra Compensation for Work.

Austin, May 12.—In drawing five dollars per day compensation for their services as members of the two committees to investigate the finances of the state penitentiary system, and in looking into the records of convicts for the purpose of instituting pardon proceedings or applying the indeterminate sentence ruling, the members of the two committees appointed by the thirty-third legislature are acting in violation of the state constitution.

This is the opinion, it is understood, that will be handed down by the attorney general's department, if the question is propounded. It is claimed that no member of the legislature can serve in any work with extra compensation.

The expense accounts of the members of the committees will be declared legal, but the extra compensation is not to be allowed under the construction of the constitution.

Mrs. D'Oyley Carte, Who Made Gilbert and Sullivan Possible



Every one of the mothers and fathers, the grandmothers and grandfathers of today, who enjoyed the Gilbert and Sullivan operas in their vogue might show his appreciation of them by sending a garland for the grave of Mrs. D'Oyley Carte, who has just died in London. Without her there might have been little of the great musical combination which entertained millions in the old world and the new.

One of those who knew the inside of theatrical matters in London in the days of Gilbert and Sullivan said on her death: "Hers was the genius that kept these men together and smoothed out the difficulties that arose from time to time."

BLAZES WITH BOMBS

BRITISH SUFFRAGETTES ARE STILL ON THE DESTRUCTION PATH.

London, May 12.—Militant suffragettes assigned to interfere with the pastimes of the men of the British isles, celebrated Whit Monday by burning down the headquarters of the Nottingham boat club on the banks of the river Trent.

The structure, which contained many valuable racing and other skiffs, was destroyed, the loss being $10,000.

A bomb operated by clockwork was discovered today under the veranda of the pavilion of the Limpsfield tennis club, in Surrey. Suffragette literature found nearby indicated that an explosion had been planned by the militants.

Plan Open Campaign.

Dublin, May 12.—The recent outbreak of militancy is only a forecast of a campaign which, according to information received by the police, the suffragettes have planned to carry out in Dublin to show their resentment of the action of nationalist members of parliament, whom they hold responsible for defeat of the suffrage bill.

Several expert militant fire bugs are here from England for the fixed purpose of organizing the incendiary features of the campaign.

This party of militants is being watched closely and elaborate precautions were taken tonight to guard the theatres, music halls and picture shows.

Woman Held for Child's Death.

Hugo, Okla., May 12.—Mrs. Jack Bazey, 45 years old, was arrested at Boswell, Okla., Sunday, and she will be held pending an investigation of the death of her 8-year-old stepson. It is alleged that Mrs. Bazey administered medicine to the child before he started for school Friday morning. He was taken ill during the day and died in the school room.

Railway Conductors Meet.

Detroit, May 12.—The biennial convention of the Order of Railway Conductors of America opened here this afternoon with an executive session at which, it is understood, the effort of trainmen on forty-eight eastern railroads to obtain a general pay increase was one of the matters discussed.

Bell Tosser Strikes Out.

Lewiston, Me., May 12.—John J. O'Brien, for many years second baseman in the National, Eastern and New England Leagues, died tonight at the age of 48 years. While manager of the Louisville club, he was credited with bringing out Jimmy Collins, the greatest third baseman of the Boston National and American League clubs.

Flagler's Condition Unchanged.

West Palm Beach, Fla., May 12.—Henry M. Flagler, the Southern railroad and hotel magnate, who is critically ill at his home here, was reported to be resting well today. Physicians stated, however, that there was no material change in his condition.

PLOT ON TARIFF NOT AGREEABLE

PENROSE'S FILIBUSTER PLAN IS DISLIKED BY MANY REPUBLICANS.

FIGHT OPEN SESSIONS

DEMOCRATS MAY VOTE WITH G. O. P. MINORITY.

FREE WOOL STIRRING STRIFE

Reported That 57 Democrats in Senate Are Against No Duty on That Commodity.

Washington, May 12.—Senator Penrose's plan to conduct an extensive filibuster in support of his proposal to hold open tariff hearings before the senate finance committee will not receive the unanimous following of his fellow Republicans, when it comes up tomorrow, according to the views of leading members.

Many prominent Republican senators do not believe it wise to fire their tariff guns in the preliminary fight. They are willing to put the question to a vote and rest content with that. They argue that Republican oratory should be conserved until the bill is before the senate and that their efforts should then be directed toward showing the country what the party thinks of it.

Republicans Against It.

Several Republicans indicated today they would vote against the Penrose amendment to make the committee hold public hearings.

Persistent reports say, however, that several Democrats will be found voting with the majority of the Republicans for the Penrose amendment and the vote is likely to be close.

When Mr. Penrose made his motion Friday the Republicans had enough votes to carry it, but before the senate meets tomorrow, Democrats who are absent are expected to be present.

Democrats on the finance committee were skeptical of a report that an agreement has been signed by 57 Democrats who are against free wool to vote against that provision.

But Democrats who keep in close touch with the situation did not believe any such agreement has been made or is likely to be made. They declared flatly that they expected the Democrats of the committee to present the bill with both the wool and sugar schedules as they were left in the house bill.

Some changes in important schedules will be made by the committee. The metal schedule notably will be altered. The sub-committee to which it was assigned several weeks ago, met tonight with Chairman Simmons.

Conference With President.

Chairman Simmons expects to confer with President Wilson during the present week. He will not be able to tell the president exactly what changes are likely to be made before the Bill is brought up in the senate but he will probably discuss some proposed amendments.

Senator Williams declared today that manufacturers who reduce wages or threaten to reduce them because of tariff reductions, should be prosecuted by the department of justice under the Sherman anti-trust act.

The senator said the Sherman law had been used against laboring men who combined to increase wages and it was not more than just that it might be directed against men who conspire to reduce wages.

President Wilson does not expect the tariff bill will be amended in any important particular.

He has not suggested that any schedule be reopened; has not been informed that the senate contemplates changing the work of the house and is confident the measure will pass the senate.

So certain is he that such an end is in sight that probably he will make known informally his views on currency this week.

The president expressed these views today, but did not express himself as to whether there should be public hearings in the finance committee.

Tin Sword War Is Nipped in Ecuador

Guayaquil, May 12.—Extensive plans for a new revolution in Ecuador, arranged to break out today, were discovered in time to frustrate the movement, which was to occur simultaneously with a revolt in Colombia.

Arrangements had been made by prominent conservatives in conjunction with friends of the late President-General Alcy Alfaro, who was lynched by a mob in Quito, January 21, 1912.

It also had been decided by several Colombian conservatives to overthrow Restrepo, owing to their disagreement as to his liberal policy.

ILLICIT BOOZE IS SOLD IN MILK CANS

New York, May 12.—Through the arrest today of Morris Katz, a milk dealer, on a charge of violating the internal revenue laws, it became known that the United States revenue agents are endeavoring to break up a gang engaged in selling moonshine whiskey, made in Brooklyn, and distributed on the east side of Manhattan, by push-cart peddlers.

Katz is charged with selling whiskey without first having paid the internal revenue tax. He was held in $2,500 bail.

According to government detectives, the scheme has netted its promoters a small fortune.

They say the whiskey has been brought into New York in milk cans, and, as much of the milk sold on the east side is peddled from push carts, the gang easily disposed of its product without exciting suspicion.

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Japan's protest was not founded upon a claim that the treaty would be broken in any way, but upon the feeling that there was an effort to discriminate against Japanese on the ground of their alleged ineligibility to citizenship.

The question of naturalization had not yet entered into the discussion with the Japanese ambassador, but, of course, underlying the bill, it was realized that federal courts had not finally passed upon the question.

Arizona Asks New Treaty.

Phoenix, Ariz., May 12.—A memorial to congress was introduced in the state senate today, asking that steps be taken to abrogate the present treaty between the United States and Japan, and negotiate a new one, which will permit states to enact their own alien land laws.

The senate approved the anti-alien land bill passed by the house, and it now goes to the governor. The proposed law prevents an alien who has not declared citizenship intentions from owning real estate or leasing it for more than five years.

Owing to the short time before the adjournment of the legislature, it refused the request of the Phoenix Japanese association for a public hearing on the bill.

PEACE DELEGATES CALL UPON WILSON

SEC. BRYAN GREETS THEM AND MAKES A FELICITOUS SPEECH.

IS A LESSON TO ALL NATIONS

Declares Relations Between the United States and Great Britain Should Be Made Pattern.

Washington, May 12.—The international peace delegates who are perfecting plans for the celebration of the 100th anniversary of the signing of the treaty of Ghent, and of peace with English speaking peoples in December next year, came to Washington today and called upon President Wilson, Secretary Bryan and other government officials.

Tonight the delegates attended a banquet, at which speeches were made by leaders in the peace movement, and the proposed cerebration. The delegates called upon Secretary Bryan immediately after their arrival, and were received by him in his office in the state department. Mr. Bryan spoke a word with each as he shook hands and later briefly addressed the delegates as they gathered about him.

He declared that in the long continued peace between the United States and Great Britain there was a lesson for all nations and this theme he elaborated later in his address at the banquet.

Lord Weardale, head of the British delegation, made a brief response in behalf of the visitors.

When the party arrived at the capitol later, the house of representatives were about to convene, but the delegates were received by Speaker Clark in his office. He had them escorted to the house gallery, where they remained until the brief session ended.

A visit to the congressional library occupied a brief space before a visit to Vice President Marshall was made.

Marshall Makes Impression.

Mr. Marshall addressed his callers and apparently what he had to say made a deep impression upon the delegates. There were nods of approval and several of the callers made audible comments, agreeing with the expressions of the vice president.

Mr. Marshall said he was convinced that practically all differences between nations are possible of settlement, if submitted to the arbitrament of fair-minded men.

Again Lord Weardale replied for the assembled delegates.

A statement outlining the proposed plan for the celebration in all English-speaking countries of the peace centenary, was made public today by Andrew B. Humphrey, secretary of the American committee. This will be submitted to the respective governments for approval, with the request that aid in carrying it out be given.

The central feature of the plan is the erection of suitable monuments in America and England and their respective dependencies identical in design and bearing an identical inscription.

It is proposed that the foundation stones be laid by the king of England and the president of the United States and by their representatives in the colonial possessions. While this is in progress it is proposed that all work in both countries cease for five minutes.

All nations are to be invited to send representatives to take part in the ceremonies.

For Peaceful Sentiments.

As a method for promoting peaceful sentiments in all classes it is proposed ther be established in the universities in both countries, chairs of history with a provision of interchange of professors.

There also are to be established traveling and other scholarships for the study of history. Some of these are to be for journalists, to permit them to study in all English-speaking countries.

Establishment of permanent frontier monuments also is contemplated and there will be provision for religious services of thanksgiving and commemoration.

A representative gathering in official life at Washington attended the banquet given tonight to the peace delegates by the Carnegie Endowment for International Peace.

The speakers were Senators Elihu Root, president of the Carnegie endowment; Secretary Bryan, Ambassador Spring-Rice, Lord Weardale, Sir Charles Reid of Australia, Charles A. Magrath, member of the Canadian parliament; Eugene H. Outerbridge of Newfoundland, C. De Bruyn of the municipality of Ghent and Andrew Carnegie.

Will Have Breakfast.

Tomorrow the delegates will be the breakfast guests of John A. Stewart, chairman of the executive committee, at the Army and Navy club. Those present will include senators from states along the Canadian border and members of the senate and house committees on foreign affairs. At noon the peace delegates will depart for Philadelphia and a tour through the country as far west as Chicago.

The foreign delegates include: Lord Weardale, Sir George Houston Reid of Australia, Arthur Shirley Benn, M. P.; Neil Primrose, M. P.; Lord Rosebury, Sir Arthur Lawley, Earl of Stanhope, Sir Herbert Eustace Maxwell, Charles Thomas Mills, M. P.; James Allen Baker, M. P.; Morton Frewen, Sir Edmund Walker, Raoul Dandurand, M. P.; Charles Magrath, Charles Lewis and Capt. Charles Frederich Hamilton, representing Canada; Eugene H. Outerbridge, from Newfoundaind, and Alderman C. De Bruyn and Alphonse Van Werveke from the municipality of Gheat.

Among the foreign conferees from Boston were Andrew Carnegie, John A. Stewart, William B. Howland, Dr. E. R. L. Gould, Alton B. Parker, Andrew B. Humphrey and Dr. Louis Livingston Seaman.

Finish Revolution Record.

Washington, May 12.—After years of patient research the war department practically has completed the collection of the military records of the American revolution, comprising the history of every American organization and soldier engaged in that struggle. Thus far no arrangements have been made for the publication of this contribution to history, which must remain hidden in the archives of the war department, unless some of the patriotic societies can interest congress in its publication.

Texan Killed; 1 Hurt.

Shreveport, La., May 12.—Ruff Motley of Marshall, Texas, was almost instantly killed and Fred Owen of the same place probably was hurt internally when a motor car was upset five miles west of Shreveport early this morning. Owen is in a local hospital.

Personal Mention

Thomas W. Hunter of Texarkana spent yesterday in the city a guest of his brother, H. L. Hunter. He had been to Dallas to attend the convention of the Knights of Columbus and while so close to Waco ran down for a visit with his kinsman. At Texarkana he is proprietor of the Hunter Transfer company and his brother, who has recently been with the Katy here, has established the Hunter Transfer company in Waco.

R. T. Cochran, a business man of Houston, spent yesterday in Waco.

Dr. H. H. Brown is a guest at the State House from Yoakum.

A. H. Haynes came in yesterday from Austin on a business trip.

C. D. Bough, a resident of Dallas, is a guest at the Metropole.

Mrs. J. Webb of Yoakum is visiting friends in the city.

J. M. Currier is here from Fort Worth.

S. W. Inglish, state fire marshal, is here from Austin on a business trip. He has been a member of the state rating board from the time of its creation.

T. O. Glover has just returned from Rochester, Minn.

W. M. Caldwell has just returned from Dallas, where he attended the real estate men's convention.

John Curry will leave today for Chicago, to visit relatives.

Fire Chief A. M. Prescott left for San Angelo yesterday morning to be present at the testing out of the municipal automobile fire truck that San Angelo recently purchased. The machine is declared to be one of the largest in the country. The fire chief will probably remain in the West Texas town a couple of days.

Sam Suravitz and Morris Fred have gone to Dallas for a few days during the Shriners convention.

JOHNSON CASE RESTS

FEDERAL COUNSEL ENDS ITS EFFORTS AND CAUSES MUCH SURPRISE.

Judge Sustains Objection of Defense on Events Prior to First of Jury, 1910.

Chicago, May 12.—The government caused a surprise late today when counsel announced it would rest in the case of Jack Johnson, being tried on charges of violating the Mann law. This action came after a long dispute between the attorneys in Judge Carpenter's chambers. The case was adjourned until tomorrow.

Belle Schrieber, for whose transportation Johnson is accused of having paid, was the chief witness today.

The government rested after Judge Carpenter sustained the objection of the defense to any testimony of events prior to July 1, 1910, the date on which the Mann law became effective.

Two of the eleven counts against Johnson were dismissed by the government.

Cross examination of Belle Schrieber was resumed today.

Defense counsel had much difficulty in trying to get the witness to fix dates. She was certain about only one, that one being October 15, 1910, when the pugilist is alleged to have brought her from Pittsburg to Chicago for immoral purposes.

SHRINERS CAPTURE DALLAS WITH FORCE OF 12,000 AND JOY STUNTS

Dallas, May 12.—Marching music awakened a large portion of the Dallas population today, when at daylight the main inflex patrols and bands for the thirty-ninth annual convention of Shriners began.

More than 12,000 nobles had registered this evening.

Twenty-six special trains arrived today. A feature of the city's entertainment is the making of every one of its 100,000 population an unofficial member of the entertainment committee and the slogan of the convention, "Mornin', Silas," appeared in bunting, on automobiles and in all sorts of places throughout Dallas. This slogan drew a $25 prize when it was selected from several hundred welcomming greetings submitted in competition about a year ago.

Welcoming was the main business of the opening session today.

Tuesday will be parade day, Wednesday business day and Thursday a 1000-mile tour of the state will begin.

Montgomery, Ala., sent a delegation of fifty Shriners to remind the imperial officers that Montgomery's request for the establishment of a temple there is the only unfinished business left over from last year's meeting in Los Angeles.

The Montgomery men expect to get their temple this year.

Mayor a Prisoner.

A telegram today from Charles F. O'Neal of San Diego, Cal., announced the Shriners of Los Angeles and San Diego held him a prisoner aboard their special train and warned Dallasites that as soon as they hear the song, "I Love You, California," they may know the coast "pirates" have arrived and had better chain down everything movable unless it is red hot.

In fezzes, silks and plushes the Shriners overran the business section of the city, recembling a spring millinery display let loose.

Dallas, in size, just about fitted the host of visiting nobles, who turned the city's streets into a merry-making carnival.

As the patrols arrived throughout the morning they paraded the streets and as the sun got hot they began marching, singing and band playing in some of the business buildings—in fact, wherever there was an entrance big enough to admit their ranks in military order.

Memphis Brings Camel.

Memphis came in 150 strong during the morning with a white two-humped camel and a campaign to get the next convention. They announced they would take a noon nap and then show Texas a real parade during the afternoon.

The various Texas patrols joined with Hella temple of Dallas in helping to welcome the visitors from other states.

One patrol of half a dozen, which did not have a band, kept busy wheeling into military formation and decorously saluting the women on the streets. This patrol made a big hit, especially as it showed no disposition to favor unduly young or pretty women, but treated all alike.

This afternoon there was a reception and lunch to the officers of patrols and bands at the Scottish Rite cathedral.

Informal dancing at various places began later in the afternoon and tonight there was a special entertainment for patrols and bands at Lake Cliff.

Al Malaikah temple of Los Angeles, which arrived this morning, arrived at Sanderson, Texas, just at church time yesterday.

They took possession of a local church and failing to find its pastor, conducted their own services and left a $50 collection behind for the pastor.

Band of Accordions.

A "Sunday supplement" band appeared on the streets today, each man wearing a multi-colored silk uniform, a metal protected helmet and each playing an accordion. They were uninhabited, but some of them were recognized as Dallas Shriners.

The contest for the next Shrine convention is between Atlanta and Memphis.

Memphis is putting on a big "outside show" in an effort to get votes, while Atlanta is relying on its "inside show" and the Atlanta men believe they have enough pledges to win.

Tonight the Memphis crowd opened a real side show and meanwhile the Memphis colors and souvenirs were spread everywhere.

The Texas spirit of welcome was in evidence, when El Mina patrol of Houston came in on their special train this morning.

Just ahead of the Houston train were the specials carrying Oasis temple of Wheeling, W. Va., and Nemesis of Parkersburg, W. Va.

The El Mina band of thirty-five pieces debouched from the Houston train on the run and lined up with the Dallas Hella temple bands and patrols in joint welcome of the West Virginians.

Houstonians claimed they brought in the "widest awake bunch," by reason of the fact that they had not had any sleep that they could remember all night.

Johnsmith Was There.

Somebody had gone through the sleepers all during the night, shouting, "Grand Central Station," and the names of other noted stations in faraway cities, and at every shout one or more sleepy El Mina nobles are said to have fallen for the joke and to have started to climb out.

Dayton, Ohio, sent five Shriners. They said they were not the biggest delegation, but that they wore "the biggest smile."

The Dayton men told how they are rebuilding and they started a campaign to elect Michael L. Finnell of Dayton as imperial outer guard.

GET WOOD PULP ENTRY FREE

European Nations Are Favored by the United States Customs Court.

Washington, May 12.—The customs court today decided that European nations are entitled to the free entry of wood pulp and paper under the "most favored nations" clause of their commercial treaties with the United States, because the free entry privilege is granted to Canada, under the only operative clause of the Canadian reciprocity agreement.

The court also held that the treasury department had placed a correct interpretation upon the Canadian reciprocity act by immediately adding wood pulp and paper free, without reciprocal action by Canada. Dissenting opinions were delivered.

Norway, Russia, Austria-Hungary and Germany claimed the right of free entry of wood pulp and paper from their respective countries. Former President Taft declined to grant the request and referred the question to the court.

It cannot be stated whether the treasury department or the department of justice will appeal the case to the supreme court.

It has been the attitude of the government to appeal all appeals from the customs court, because the act creating the court says the decisions of the customs court shall be final.

The fact that the question involved the interpretation of treaties may cause the government to appeal.

[illegible] PLEA OF SELF DEFENSE

Pete Price Offers Testimony to Prove That He Was in Danger.

Testimony introduced yesterday at the examining trial of Pete Price on a charge of killing Monte Park tended to show that the man killed had cut Price and killed Sam. The defense claims he shot Sam when Sam was advancing upon him with an open knife.

Witnesses swore that Sam said as he approached, "I will kill all of you." Price ordered him three times to stop and then fired.

The tragedy occurred at 3 o'clock Sunday morning. Sam had been approached and wounded by Charley Mexican, with a knife. Witnesses said the wounded man in fact had left the street. Price was held in the office of the grand jury in the case of the half brother of the deceased.

The dead man had the reputation of being a dangerous man.

Cotton May Have Competition.

Beaumont, Tex., May 12.—Cotton may have competition from Beaumont, if the efforts of business men to induce farmers to plant rice in place of cotton, shall be crowned with success. Rice will be planted in the bottom of the great rice belt, the land of this half brother of Louisiana.

The dead man had the reputation of being a dangerous man.

STILL THE [illegible]

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SOPHOMORES DEFEAT FRESHMEN

Upper Classmen Win Two to One—Mings Thornton and Upshaw Render Musical Program.

The Sophomores defeated the Freshmen last night at Carroll chapel in a wordy battle centering around the question of "Resolved, That Three-Fourths of a Jury Should Be Sufficient to Render a Verdict."

The Sophs, who spoke in the affirmative, were awarded the decision by two votes out of three. They were W. Roy Christian and Joe W. Hale; the freshmen debaters were J. J. Perry Jr. and Herbert C. Taylor. The judges were J. H. Yancie, T. F. Bryan and S. E. O'Bryan.

The invention was presented by R. B. Crimm, while Miss Lois Upshaw rendered a vocal solo and Miss Gladys Thornton a piano solo. Both young women were recalled several times.

Following the debate, the victorious debaters gathered at the Palace of Sweets, where the principals were tendered more soft compliments and soft drinks.

LACK OF STAMPS LOSE TRADE.

American Merchants Handicap Themselves by Mistakes in Postage.

Washington, May 12.—American merchants are losing trade abroad by failing to put foreign postage on the letters they send to foreign lands, according to consuls to the department of commerce.

From Marseilles, Consul Amos Thompson has sends to the department report that about half the American commercial papers sent out with a two cent stamp affixed. The rate is five cents for the first ounce and three cents for an ounce or less in the first ounce.

From Argentina, Australia and Africa, similar complaints have been received.

The department reports that the people think it costs a cent and a half each ounce for the foreign postage, and that the amount of their postage.

OFFERS TO SAVE THE EXPENSE

Contracting Firm Agrees to Demonstrate a Saving With an Engine.

If it can be shown to the county commissioners that by the purchase of an engine to be used in connection with grading work on the roads the cost of the work will be reduced enough, the body will in all probability purchase such a machine. At the meeting yesterday Charles Mears, representing Austin Bros. of Dallas, told the commissioners that his company would guarantee that such an engine would cut the expense of grading by half. To substantiate his statement he offered to have an engine shipped from Dallas to demonstrate the workings to that body. The engine costs $2,000 and two graders which go with it cost $500 each. He said the counties of Woods, Nacogdoches, Bexar, Grayson, Hopkins and Dallas were using the machines and that they had proved a big saving to those counties. He said the cost of operation was about $2.50 per day. Agent grade of oil can be used as fuel, he said. He also offered to pay the expenses of the commissioners to Dallas to see an engine in operation there or ship one here, provided if he could demonstrate that the expense be cut in half, the commissioners would purchase. The matter was deferred, but will again be considered.

Local News Notes

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IF THIS IS YOUR BIRTHDAY.

Avoid meddling, especially with things which you do not understand. Rather learn all you can before judging. You will gain commercial advantage and will meet with [illegible] pecuniary loss or discomfort.

Those born today will early manifest independent natures, and should be trained in every way possible to make them really able to take care of themselves. If, when young, they are indulged on account of pretty demonstrations of affection, they will be doomed to slave for others when older.

BULL MOOSE BULLET WATCH FOB.

A very pretty watch fob, finished in gold, green gold or silver, is being put on the market by Hall & Co. 106 Fulton street, New York. The fob has an embossed head of a bull moose, surrounded by a ribbon metal effect, with the wording "Keep alive the Progressive spirit which the bullet did not kill." A bullet, upon which are the initials T. R., is attached as a pendant. It is very rapidly becoming popular as the Progressive party badge. The Bull Moose Bullet Fob, in either gold, green gold or silver finish, will be sent to any address post paid upon receipt of [illegible] in stamps, money order or coin by Hall & Co, 106 Fulton street, New York.

Fire Hero a Suicide.

Chicago, May 12.—[illegible], a hero of the Chicago fire, who saved a score of persons with his [illegible], committed suicide yesterday. He was [illegible] years of age and brooded over his infirmities.

House Going to Europe.

Washington, May 12.—E. M. House of Austin, Texas, intimate friend and adviser of President Wilson, said goodbye to the president today, as he will sail in a few days for a long sojourn in Europe.

DISSOLUTION NOTICE.

The co-partnership heretofore existing between E. A. Wrench and J. C. Riley & Sons, under the firm name of E. A. Wrench & Co. has been dissolved by mutual consent; this the 12th day of May, 1913.

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Current Events
In Woman's Sphere

BOTH PHONES 102. KATE FRIEND, Editor

A NOTE FOR BOOK LOVERS
ARE YOU ONE OF THESE?

If we are addicted to reading light fiction, and too many of us are, why not make a resolve that for every half dozen novels, we will read one book of travel, of history, or of something more elevating than the career of the heavy villain and the girl who "marries and lives happily ever after." This habit, once begun, will take hold of the mental woman by and by. She will come to the point where she reads the half dozen of improving books to the one of fiction. That is, if she is the woman whose brain is properly adjusted. Along this line, here is something from Edmund Vance Cook, whose literary judgment we all respect. He says:

Any woman who cares for a friend ought to care for a book. Of course, there are women who are well enough as acquaintances, but who do not possess sufficient depth for friendship. You need not invite such women to your library and you need not invite such books. But there are women and there are books which should be your intimates.

Is it not stupid of us to spend all of our spare money upon dress and dinners and all of our spare time upon ephemeral magazines? Yet many a man (and women are like them) who will crack a five-dollar bill for a bottle of bubbles will shriek with agony if you suggest a five-dollar book to him. He serves his stomach at the Lobster Palace, but he serves his mind at the five and ten cent store.

By all means let us learn the joy of owning books, of reading them lingeringly, rereading and annotating them, making them part of ourselves.

THE LITERARY CLUB CLOSES
WITH MANY GUESTS

At the last minute the Literary club was transferred from Jack Hill [illegible] to the Huaco club. This necessitated a complete change of program. It had been the intention of the club to all be children again, crown their May queen, dance the Maypole, and otherwise depend upon the seclusion of the country home for a jolly good time. But the dignity of Waco's city club caused a change to the most conventional program. And this proved delightful, too. Alexander's orchestra was engaged for concert program. Each member invited three guests. Many out of town visitors were included. The club service was the refreshment feature. Beautiful flowers were everywhere. Some were the prairie blossoms, especially the coreopsis which was brought in for the first time. Members took the garden flowers and their home baskets to make a bower of beauty. In all, the club did itself proud, and afforded nearly two hundred a delightful close to a very full social week. The outgoing president, Mrs. J. W. Downs, and the incoming, Mrs. J. W. Orand, were untiring in their individual attentions. The club as a whole, thirty bright, affable women were the house party. It was here that these members exchanged the au revoir and the good wish for a happy vacation. The members of the Literary club are Mesdames Allen Sanford, W. M. Foster, W. N. Orand, J. W. Orand, J. W. Downs, M. B. White, Mattie D. Willis, William Hooper, H. C. [illegible], T. A. Caufield, R. H. Nash, Jr., W. S. Plunkett, R. L. Cartwright, H. K. Brower, J. R. David, Edgar Witt, Forest Goodman, M. C. M. Park, J. C. Lattimore, S. P. Brooks, W. H. Peel, Frank Allen, K. A. McKinzie, Albert [illegible], Ed McCullough, Tom McCullough, William Early, J. M. Nash, John Baker, J. N. Gallagher.

THE EUTERPEAN CLUB
HAS A LARGE GUEST LIST

The regular bi-weekly session of the Euterpean club was held under very pleasing conditions, that of being the first guests in the new home of Mrs. J. W. [illegible], one of the new and enthusiastic members. The hostess included a number by special invitation. Her cozy little home was beautiful with cut flowers and she had in waiting a refreshment service. In all, about forty were present to enjoy the delightful program of Russian music under the direction of Mrs. Mattie D. Willis. This proved one of the most enjoyable programs of the entire year. One feature, worthy of special note, was the coming from McGregor of Miss Witt to give a piano number. Miss [illegible] was visitor. Also the Mesdames A. E. Wilson and T. M. [illegible] were contributors of good selections. The business centered about arrangements for the spring recital. The members who will then appear are at work, and the event will be well worthy this ambitious club. However, the exact date is not named. In the meantime, the next regular program comes with Miss Mable Gray. Two more afternoons will be held before the formal closing for the season with the president, Mrs. Frank Tree.

A SUGGESTION COMES
FOR THE CHILDREN

An interested mother writes to the Morning News suggesting that the [illegible] be interested in having a [illegible] at Cameron Park. The idea is good. We all know that, when we have personal interest, we have more consideration. [illegible]

SUNDAY NIGHT DINNER
OUT AT THE HUACO CLUB

[illegible] and the regular dining rooms. This was for the Sunday night club dinner. Among those noticed in small groups were, at one table,

Mr. and Mrs. Joel Westbrook, Shapley Ross and Mrs. Frank Boggs of Michigan.

Dr. and Mrs. W. O. Wilkes were with Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Gardner.

The Misses Lyda Clinton and Elizabeth Woldert of Tyler were escorted by Creswell Eaton and Mr. Holland.

The Misses Hoffman with escorts were still another table group.

R. B. L. Jackson was host to the largest of the parties, his guests being Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Smith, the Mesdames William Breustedt and Loretta Kasee Reeves, with the Misses Pauline Foster and Ida Orand, William Abeel, T. F. Bush and H. P. Smith.

THE MERRY MAKERS MEET
FOR GAME OF HEARTS

In their last weekly coming together the Merry Makers were guests of the Mesdames de Cordova and Dyer, two of their agreeable members. Hearts was the diversion and Mrs. V. Z. Crawford, the prize winner. The consolation went to Mrs. Eugene Trott. Refreshments were served and the next game invited by Mrs. W. A. Turner. Those present were the Mesdames Crawford, Trott, Turner, L. N. Griffith, J. M. Leiber with the Misses Alice Turner, Carrie Tripp, Bertie Bell and Katherine Trott.

SANGER MOTHERS' CLUB
HAS LAST MEETING TODAY

As president of the Sanger Mothers' club, Mrs. Fred Peck urges every member to be present at the meeting this afternoon. This is the last for the current year, and much business is on hand for final dispatch. This is the cause which makes a full attendance urgent. The hour and the place are the same as heretofore.

Society Notes.

Miss Lucy Raynolds has joined the household of Mrs. J. R. Ferrell on Washington street.

Miss Sophie May Lambdin who has been the popular guest of Mrs. James D. Williamson for some weeks, is returning home to Georgia with Wednesday.

Note how the social calendar of daily events shrinks from this on. This measures the social temperature and its gradual falling to the summer dearth.

Dr. and Mrs. J. R. Ferrell, Mr. and Mrs. John Hooper, Mrs. C. C. Conger and Miss Viola Barton were an automobile party to Meridian on Sunday.

Tell it not in Gath yet for a few days, but there are to come wedding invitations from Speight street, the date for the event being the last day of May.

Now that the bright silk jacket is in vogue, it is said that a yellow blouse with a gray skirt is a taking effect.

If the little girls wear much larger bows, it will be "Please pull down your loops a little," in public places as accompaniment to "Please remove your hats."

Listen to the punctures. There are to be large social affairs on May the fifteenth, May the twenty-first, May the twenty-seventh, May the twenty-eighth and May the thirty-first. Do you know which is each?

Now that Mrs. Wilson, as the first lady in the land, set her garden party hours as between five and seven o'clock, it would seem that society must adhere. This would be correct in a general way to let the president's wife decide such conventionalities. But, the president's wife does not live in Texas where the sizzling days come soon. Therefore, as in all else, common sense must rule. Texas society is permitted later hours. Yet, Texas society might conform to the precedence of a two hours' length at home.

There is a diversity among the Waco women as to whether or not hats are worn at a garden party. If the writer may venture her opinion, she would say, hats always for the callers, and bare heads always for the assistant hostesses.

Is it not the courteous act for the automobile owners to include those not so provided in the outing at the clubs? Anything but masculine selfishness?

The Evangelia Settlement board has not yet elected a successor to Mrs. Loraine Rogers, whose removal to Temple caused a vacancy as secretary.

Watch your horse fight flies just one minute, and then see if you do not resolve never again to keep your check rein tightened when that horse stands.

While the women are not included, they are all interested in whatever pertains to the Philo club; therefore, they are interested in the club smoker tonight.

The Young Married Ladies' bridge club is playing with their president, Mrs. William Early, Columbus street, this afternoon.

Take your drives with your mind open for the interesting associations. For instance, when you see two beautiful trees met in interlocked branches from one side the street to the other, remember, that it was just this sight which inspired the great gothic arch, so prominent in architecture. And when you see a colonial home with pillars ending with a flower cluster, remember that a lover chanced to see a basket of flowers inverted on his sweetheart's grave. And that was the beginning of the Corinthian pillar, that ornate feature in Greek architecture.

The Misses Gertrude Bush, Roberta Early and Mary Carter are muchly interested in Saint Paul's mission, corner Fifteenth and Webster. They conduct Sunday school there in the afternoons.

From present indications the Shakspere club entertainment at the Huaco club on Wednesday afternoon will assemble more than two hundred guests. The exercises will be both unique and interesting.

If all the nation did as well as Waco, the observance of Mothers' Day was indeed impressive.

The next time you drive out by Cotton Palace Park feast your eyes upon the playground sight.

It looks more and more as though the white and the cream dining room furnish, especially in the furniture, is to prevail. We like the idea.

Just wait until June the fourteenth, national flag day, and see if there are not more Texas flags than Waco has ever seen. The agitation has borne fruit. In the meantime, why not a few more women make one for home use?

The Cotton Palace directors assure that the Texas flag will fly from Cotton Palace dome during exposition season. Why not from the entrance gate and from each of the other buildings? Surely the women, if requested, will make the flags.

The Hebrew Rest society holds its regular monthly meeting at the usual place and hour this afternoon.

Mrs. A. J. Turcott who spent several weeks with her mother, Mrs. Johnson, on North Tenth, has left for Corpus Christi. Mrs. Johnson joins her for the season with the first of June.

The Bridge Juniors play with their president, Miss Nancy Lacy, this afternoon.

The Misses Quinius of Eighteenth and Sanger issued invitations on Monday for a household shower in their home on Thursday. The honoree is Miss Bessie Miles.

It is now definite that the Maids and Matrons will play on Thursday with Mrs. Edwin Jurney, 120 North Ninth.

The Young Married Ladies' Euchre club will play with Mrs. J. S. Hill, West Columbus street, Wednesday afternoon.

Society Personals.

Among recent homecomings is that of Mrs. C. K. Weil of Columbus street from Houston.

Mrs. F. C. Guittard of South Seventh left on Saturday for a visit to her parents in Shiner.

Mrs. W. L. Luter of San Antonio is on a two weeks' visit to Mrs. Edgar Witt, North Twelfth street.

Mrs. Fannie Chambers Gooch Inglehart of San Antonio, left for Dallas on Monday after a week-end sojourn with Mrs. W. N. Lazenby on Sanger avenue.

Mrs. A. C. Prendergast came up from Austin on Monday. She will spend some time with her son and daughters here.

Mrs. Cooley who remains with her daughter, Mrs. Gabriel Winter on North Fifth until early June is in Sherman for a few days.

Mrs. Frank Mann, who has spent a week with her mother, Mrs. J. W. Taylor on North Fifth, has joined Mr. Mann from Vernon for the Shriner conclave in Dallas.

Mrs. J. W. McClendon is again at home in Austin. She had been with her sister, Mrs. O. H. Cross on Austin avenue for a few days.

Mrs. O. L. Stribling and Miss Eleanor Blair are leaving today for a short trip to San Antonio.

After an extended visit among her old home friends, Mrs. C. C. Conger left for her home in Cleburne on Monday.

Mrs. Sam Webb came down from Albany on Saturday. She is with Miss Minnie Taylor on South Fourth.

Mrs. E. J. Cortines is down from her new home, Dallas, for a few days among her friends here.

Mrs. Loraine Rogers is up from Temple, to spend a week with her mother, Mrs. John Moore on South Fifth.

Mrs. Guy Rogers of Houston is on a two weeks' visit to her mother, Mrs. W. N. Orand, Fifteenth and Jefferson.

Miss Witt of McGregor was one of the late week visitors.

Mrs. Watt Caufield of San Antonio, who has paid several visits in this portion of the state, is again with Mrs. Thomas Caufield, Tarrace Row.

Mrs. Bruton of Comanche remains the guest of her daughter, Mrs. J. W. Orand on Columbus street until Miss Lucile Bruton is removed from the sanitarium.

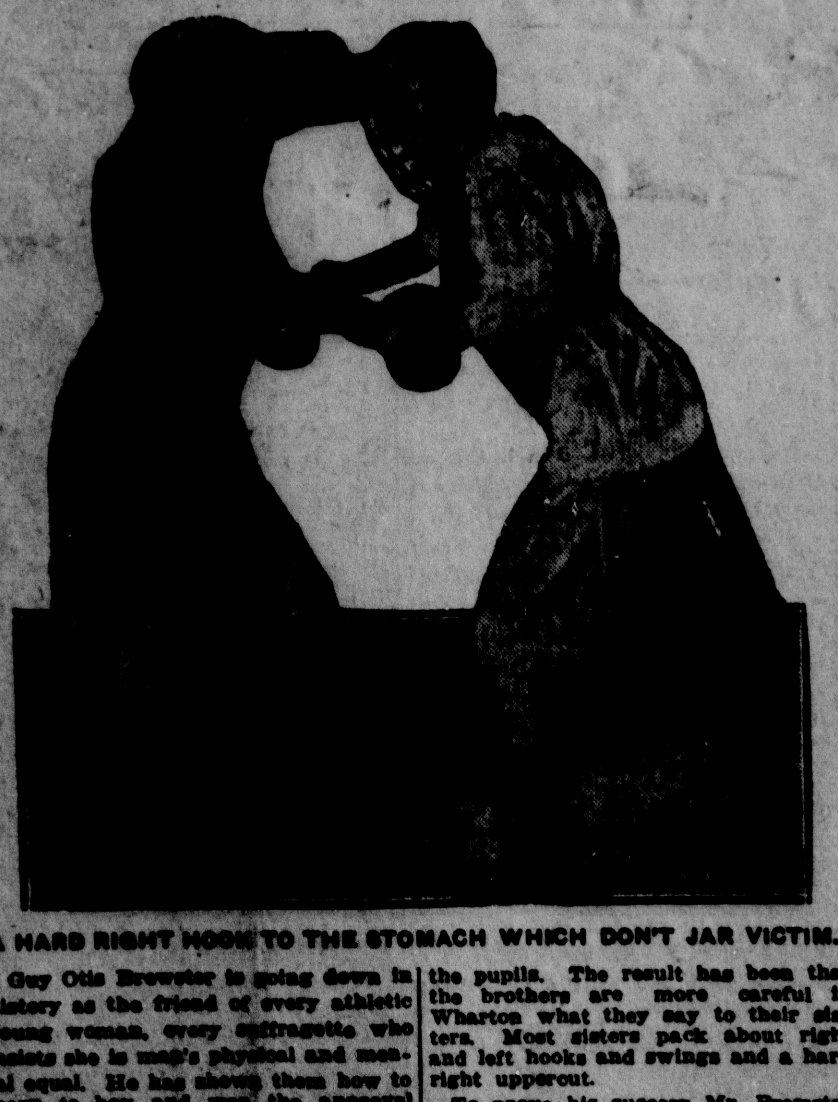
Mr. and Mrs. Norman Shumate of Columbus street have for their guests during the Episcopal council, Mr. and Mrs. Malone Gibson from Calvert.

Mr. and Mrs. George Zizinia of Washington street were weekend visitors to Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Bolton with Miss Frankie Bolton, of South Fourth street, are leaving today for a four-months' trip to Washington City and other eastern points.

News Classified Ads bring results.

Girls May Now Box With Protectors Which Have Been Approved By Teachers



A HARD RIGHT HOOK TO THE STOMACH WHICH DON'T JAR VICTIM.

Guy Otis Brewster is going down in history as the friend of every athletic young woman, every suffragette who insists she is man's physical and mental equal. He has shown them how to learn to box and won the approval of former teachers who disapproved this exercise for young women. He has invented a mask for the head so beauty won't be marred by hard blows, and one for the chest and stomach so there will be no danger from body punches.

Mr. Brewster is the physical instructor of public schools in Wharton, N. J. Long ago he was convinced that boxing, one of the finest exercises for men, ought to be made possible for women. He constructed his masks and has introduced them among the pupils. The result has been that the brothers are more careful in Wharton what they say to their sisters. Most sisters pack about right and left hooks and swings and a hard right uppercut.

To prove his success Mr. Brewster got several of his pupils to give a demonstration before a meeting of the Physical Education society. The girls fought vigorously. They swung with right and left to body and jaw and uppercut with all their vigor. Blows which taxed their strength fell harmless on the wire protectors and the victims only laughed and plunged in for more. It was a revelation, and the incurably conservative at once endorsed the Brewster plan. As a result it may be introduced in many schools throughout the country.

Health and Beauty Advice

BY MRS. MAE MARTYN.

Annette: (1) Sometimes a druggist endeavors to discourage the making of home-remedies because he thinks it interferes with his business. I never suggest the use of anything that is not sold in first-class drug stores. (2) To make kardene spring blood-tonic and liver-remedy get 1 ounce of kardene mix it with ½ cupful of sugar and add ½ pint of alcohol and 1½ pints of hot water. This formula makes a full quart of tonic, of which you should take 1 tablespoonful 5 minutes before each meal and before retiring. As an all-around tonic this has no superior. It will restore your lost appetite and tend to strengthen and build you up. It purifies blood and your pimples and ugly blotches will soon disappear.

Virginia: A good "liquid-powder" or face-wash which when on seems a part of the skin is made by dissolving 4 ounces of spurmax in ½ pint of hot water or witch hazel and adding 2 teaspoonfuls of glycerine. This home-made complexion beautifier whitens the skin without the use of powder and is particularly recommended for the use of anyone who has a sallow, dark or oily skin.

Constance: To remove dandruff and stop falling hair, apply once a week a quinine hair-tonic, made by dissolving 1 ounce of quinzoin in ½ pint of alcohol, adding ½ pint of cold water. Rub into the scalp and hair with the finger tips until absorbed. This treatment will promote the growth of hair and tend to make it luxuriant and glossy. (See answer to Molly.)

Molly: It is not necessary to shampoo the hair oftener than twice a month if you use a shampoo that will thoroughly cleanse the hair and scalp. An inexpensive shampoo that makes the head feel good and helps the hair is made by dissolving a teaspoonful of canthrox in a cupful of hot water. Pour on the hair and rub well. You will find that this makes a good lather—and plenty of it—thoroughly cleanses the hair and scalp and relieves irritation and stimulates roots to helpful action.

Viola: Yes, healthy eyes are clear and sparkling. If yours are dull, red and inflamed you need an eye-tonic. Get an ounce of crystos from your druggist and dissolve it in a pint of water. One or two drops in each eye every day is all that is required. This eye-tonic will not smart or burn and will give relief when the eyes are tired, inflamed or sore. It strengthens the eyes and will benefit you if you wear glasses.

Laura: Your friend is right in saying that I know a certain wrinkle-remover which can be made at home at very little expense. It is a vegetable product and is unlike creams containing oils or animal fat as it neither grows hair nor makes the flesh loose and flabby. Just dissolve an ounce of almozoin, which you can get from any druggist, in one-half pint cold water and add 2 teaspoonfuls of glycerine. Stir and let stand for one day. To remove wrinkles apply a thick coat of this cream-jelly and leave on over night. This protects the skin and allows all the blood action to be used in constructing new texture. Then wash it out of the pores and massage thoroughly with more of the cream. It makes the skin soft and velvety, while it is unequaled in reducing large pores.

Student: It will be good news to you to learn that what you eat is now thought to have little to do with obesity and that if enough exercise is taken, even a fleshy woman may eat what she wants. To half starve oneself means to look haggard and altogether unlovely. Don't drink while eating, even water, and don't drink alcoholic beverages at any time. The best flesh-reducer I know of it parnotis. Get from your druggist an original 4-ounce package of parnotis, take it home and dissolve it in 1½ pints hot water. Take one tablespoonful 3 times a day, before meals.

O. T.: Your eyelashes will grow long and have a pretty curl if you apply pyroxin at lash-roots with thumb and forefinger. Thin eyebrows can be made to come in thick and glossy by putting pyroxin on them frequently with the finger. You can buy pyroxin in a small, original package, but be careful and don't get any where hair is not wanted.

Olga N.: The disfiguring, hairy growth can be permanently banished by using a delatone paste. Get a small, original package of delatone and mix enough of the powder with water to cover the objectionable hairs. Let remain 2 or 3 minutes, then remove and wash the skin. This simple treatment dissolves the hairs and leaves the skin free from blemish.

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DEFINING THE REAL NEWS.

I think the real news is connected not with the weight of the interests of the day but with those appearances and events which are hopefully beginning to insist on a reawakening of our eternally conservative ideals. The newspaper is not engaged, as far as it is a newspaper, in representing fairly all the immediate interests. It should be engaged only with the news—with that in the community which is developing.

It is my effort to help to free and make more effective, by journalistic expression all movements in society which seem to me to have the kind of news value I have suggested—news the meaning of which is that we as a society may become aware of our deeper ideals and genuinely happy and fruitful possibilities.

One thing envalued in this is a criticism of those false or limited standards which now prevail—our standards of penology, our ideas of criminality, our excessive respect for the respectable, our hatred of what interferes with our immediate interests, etc. To do this means that many people are irritated. It means agitation. But what then? Agitation is the road to greater life. Every human being to a certain extent tends to want to remain where he is. It is more comfortable. Routine saves real effort. It is difficult, though useful, to be strenuous.—Hutchins Hapgood.

SIS'S SUMMER SOJOURN.

Sister's home from her vacation
With nine trunks of summer clothes,
Skeeter bites, sure as creation,
And six blisters on her nose.
—Youngstown Telegram.

Sister's home from her vacation;
By the seaside did she linger.
Sister made no ostentation
'Cept the ring upon her finger.
—Painesville Telegraph-Republican.

Sister's home from her vacation
Where she said 'twas cool and nice;
Met a "Duke" of some legation,
Now to us she's cold as ice.
—Yonkers Statesman.

Sister's home from her vacation—
Not engaged, we hate to say—
She has no consideration;
Next year the rest can't go away.

"It has just come to light," the New York World notes, "after all the anti-vice crusade in Chicago that the rescue and maternity home of the Salvation Army in that city has been receiving about 1000 unfortunate girls every year and making no noise about it, having neither a brass band, a legislative inquiry nor a board of society patrons." Which may be attributed to the difference between salvation and society, saving and sensation seekin, saving and slumming.

The people of California who are protesting so loudly against the revised schedules for citrus fruits should not love Wilson the less but their own governor more—the running mate of that democratic aid society, the Colonel. "Thanks to the Bull Moose the Democrat is in the saddle," is the way the Los Angeles Times rubs it in.

In the teeth of the jeremiad that the democrats' tariff plan will ruin the nation's industries, one of the largest thread factories in the world, in Pawtucket, R. I., has increased 5 per cent the wages of 3000 employes.

Any Waco business man who doubts that trade trips awaken interest in his city and its concerns should read the accounts of the recent excursion in the press of the several communities visited.

Twenty-five federal officers executed by the constitutionalists at Guaymas is a greater killing than has been made in a Mexican "battle" since Felix descended on the capital.

And there is still comment on the fact that the Brownings' love letters fetched $64 each. Mr. Hearst paid something more than $1000 for one of Mr. Archbold's endearing missives.

Has anyone invited the nomad peace celebrities to try their hand in the Paterson and Milwaukee labor troubles?

MORE NEW-FOUND FRIENDS.

Lately we expressed our ardent admiration for the philanthropy moving that cluster of wholesale grocers in New York City to urge, in copious literature widely distributed, that refined sugar be free-listed by the tariff tinkers at Washington, for the benefit of this nation's long-imposed-on average consumers. To be sure, happenings in American trade history of the past twenty years seemed to whisper that the New York benefactors had their fingers crossed when they wrote their broad, spirited argument in behalf of free sugar for the great, sugar-needing people. There was an echo from other years touching price manipulation for the worse following tariff treatment for the better along this line, but to recall this, and hint that the New York committee was doing its circular talking on its own account, may have been nothing more than ill-nature on our part.

It may be, too, lack of sympathetic understanding makes us immune to grief now that more new-found friends of the people, the makers of motor cars, issuing their proclamation, or brief, from Detroit, go to the other extreme, the protectionist extreme, against reducing the duty on the European product, as planned. Somehow our attention is focused on their argument because it is reluctantly droll—not to them, but to us—"reluctantly," we say, because there have been so many like examples of selfish opposition, without cause, to the administration's genuine desire to reduce the tariff that these have lost interest largely. We, too, have ventured our little protest against the tariff program as regards certain products of nation-wide necessity; but our motives are not those of the wholesale grocers' committee or of the motor car makers' committee. The country again has had striking opportunity to get at the real, underlying menace of the old tariff that has bred hardship for general business and has fostered hardship for those who must support general business—the average consumer. This widespread argument printed by the motor car makers is a vivid illustration.

The humor if it comes in the presentation to American editors of their "Brief": "Your attention (it proclaims) is directed to this matter because of its bearing on the prosperity of the whole country."

This is at least informative of the opinion the motor car makers must entertain of the intelligence of the average editor they are addressing. Or do they think he will sink his intelligence in the fact that this lament may be a "business proposition" for his newspaper? The motor car men advise that their brief "voices a protest made by twenty-seven companies engaged in the manufacture" of these vehicles; the names signed thereto (and they are very successful names, we grant) "convey only a hint of the volume of business involved and the vast number of men employed by these concerns and allied industries. These American manufacturers know that the proposed tariff is a menace to the automobile industry in the United States" and—again, for it is the sort of stuff the protectionist makes the mistake of foisting on the public, thus rendering his argument ridiculous:

"Your attention is directed to this matter because of its bearing on the prosperity of the whole country."

The prosperity of the whole country will be affected, forsooth, if the duty of 45 per cent under the Payne-Aldrich bill on finished cars and car bodies is kept at that figure, but the duty on chasses is reduced to 30 per cent and the duty on finished parts, exclusive of tires, is reduced to 20 per cent! The prosperity of the nation is to be affected because it is a "joker" that would keep the duty on finished cars and car bodies up to 45 per cent and reduce the duty on chasses and finished parts, which latter are practically the only forms of importation in the motor car trade. It is the old cry of cheap European labor militating against American manufacture and its high-priced labor—"cheap labor" in the making of costly European chasses and parts! It is outrageous for the democracy to reduce the tariff below even the figure requested by the agents of European makers, before the ways and means committee! Still these benefactors tell us, their export trade has increased steadily in spite of government attacks on corporations, and innumerable other obstacles thrown in the way of large business! Superiority of the American car? Of course! American cars imported by Europe where cars are made so much more cheaply! And here is the sort of argument the public is asked to digest—the unvarying brand of protectionist "logic" that yet has never been able, for example, to answer the average consumer's question why a pair of shoes made in Massachusetts brings $6.00 in this country and $3.50 in London:

> If it were not for the indomitable energy and the daring investment of capital in the American motor car industry at times when the possibility of its becoming a great industry and a profitable one were in the gravest doubt, it would not in years have been built up to take care of the enormous necessities of this country for motor vehicle transportation, and untold hundreds of millions of dollars would have been sent to European manufacturers to supply the American needs. Countless tens of millions of dollars in the highest wages ever paid would never have been paid to American workmen but would have been paid to cheaper European labor.

It would be difficult to imagine how more unmitigated bosh and gross exaggeration, and utter ignoring of American intelligence, could be perpetrated, than the above. When was there really "grave doubt" that the motor car industry in America would not become great and profitable? Motor car manufactories and "makes" of cars have, year after year, multiplied relatively like rabbits. This country has "enormous necessities for motor vehicle transportation," yet we are told that only "indomitable energy" and "daring investment of capital" in times of doubt made provision for supplying that necessity. We are asked to believe that untold hundreds of millions would have gone to Europe to buy cars for "American needs." Countless tens of millions in highest wages would have gone to the cheaper labor of the European factory. The latter statement descends below the scale of absurd economics and may be classed as weird mathematics. And the whole argument becomes at once unworthy serious consideration by assuming that American business brain and money would not have met the American demand as it appeared and increased. This is a nation of business ordering to meet business growth.

That suitable victim of a justifiable homicide who invented the expression, "I should worry" is the person fitted to deal with the claim that the reduction of duty on foreign motor car chasses and parts, which cannot beat American competition in the foreign markets, has a "bearing on the prosperity of the whole country."

And this is a sample of the protectionist opposition to the democracy's tariff reform plan! If the duty is removed from foreign chasses and parts the farmer in Oshkosh will, of course, buy a French or Italian chassis and have the body made in Springfield, Mass., or Detroit, Mich., regardless of price of the American finished car! What sound reasoning is this! And there are several excellent American cars to be had, finished, more cheaply than an imported chassis possibly could be bought.

GREATER NEED OF PEACE.

While England's first lord of the admiralty is urging that the nations refrain for a year or two from building battleships, and is being resolutely criticised therefor; while the United States' secretary of state, with the president, is urging that international disputes be submitted to a year of investigation by the powers after diplomatic resources for settlement are exhausted and before bloodshed begins; while France is behaving like a wasp toward Germany in respect to that lost military airship incident and reported petty indignities suffered by German citizens at the hands of French army officers; while our fighting ex-president, clad in khaki, boots and spurs is telling the world's most famous advocates of peace that he is with them—Germany's minister of war supplies a powerful reason why these efforts for peace should persist and why, the world must hope, they should be fruitful.

The minister, General von Heeringen, is quoted in a Berlin dispatch lately as replying to a question whether it "was not impracticable for one commander to attempt to handle an immense modern army in the field," to the effect that the difficulty of the operation was exaggerated but there was a difficulty which his government recognized. Commenting on this admission, the Boston Transcript recalls that Germany "recognized this so clearly after the recent grand maneuvers as to begin to plan a new system of training for general officers, to accustom them to wielding huge masses of men; it is perfectly reasonable to suppose that new conditions compel new methods." It is pointed out that in the next great war commanders on both sides will have at their disposal agencies for the detection of their opponents' movements which were unknown to the writers of those textbooks which cadets are still required to master: aircraft, field telephone, wireless telegraphy, have either been introduced or attained practicability since the last war between the great European powers was fought. Military students have recognized the changes which new inventions will work and the general burden of their forecast of future [illegible] in that armies will operate in vast fronts, coming into collision at the earliest moment practicable and grappling for victory, as in ancient warfare. If this forecast is correct (the Transcript concludes) there will be a reversion to the old tug of war that prevailed before arms of precision attained their present perfection; the very efficiency of those weapons presupposes their employment at ranges which shall bring out their highest effectiveness—that is, at close quarters.

In a word, the world's greatest experts in war believe the next great war would be a slaughter unparalleled. The world's greatest peace makers, then, must be moved to the utmost effort by this prospect.

Too much Tullos. Too little effort when hits meant runs.

RURAL ILLITERACY.

Not immigration, but the lack of educational opportunities in rural districts is chiefly responsible for the relatively high rate of illiteracy in the United States, according to a bulletin by A. C. Monohan, of the Bureau of Education. The rate of rural illiteracy is twice the urban rate, despite the fact that approximately three-fourths of the immigrants are in the cities. Still more significant is a comparison between children born in this country of foreign parents and those born of native parents." The illiteracy among native-born children of native-born parentage is more than three times as great as among the children of foreign parentage," says Mr. Monohan, "largely on account of the lack of opportunities for education in rural America."

The bulletin is of special value at this time because it is a brief, clear, non-sensational statement of the rural school problem. It does not attempt to gloss over unpleasant facts. It gives full recognition to the positive advance that has been made in many rural districts, and to improvements now under way, but in general finds conditions far from satisfactory. Among other things, Mr. Monohan finds 226,000 one-teacher school houses in the United States.

Texas Viewpoints

Resignation.

Yes, brother, the back alleys in old McKinney are still back alleys and need cleaning mighty bad. The hog pens are still hog pens, and the dead roosters are still to be seen in the highways and hedges. We are blaming no one. If you can live in McKinney this old hot summer, we pray to our Lord that we can. If we die, why we just die; that is all.—McKinney Courier-Gazette.

Gentle Tommy Perkins. His resignation is easily understood. The sad truth that everybody's business is nobody's business is most unhappily exemplified in the city cleaning situation. "We are blaming no one," says Tommy, or Tommy's associate as the case may be. If there is a health board in McKinney, that editor doubtless has concluded those responsible for the public's business resent being reminded they are not fulfilling the responsibility. It is a sorrowful conclusion, but sensible.

Hail the Hog.

The hog, for example, has his advantages. Unlike the cabbage, he does not locate on six meager inches of earth, does not perish for the lack of water in a nearby trough, does not sprout, mature, bloom and wither in a few pinched weeks of time. He is a perennial, has going power, brings a fat price in proportion to the fat of his body. If the market suffers a transient flurry, he does not grow rank and unfit for consumption, but roots about untroubled, adding better pounds for future profit. Vegetable crops have their talking points, to be sure, and one of the best of these is that they can be converted into four legs and inquisitive snouts. Let's have a little more forage and depend more upon crops which may be turned into dollars the whole year round.—Corpus Christi Caller.

If the land were as full of him as Texas press lately has been, and with good reason, it is possible the next report of the State's wealth would have a rival with cotton for the leading item. There is an epic of the hog due Texas and a thought for each verse in several hundred verses is contained in paragraphs like the above. No Texas newspaper, city or country, is without its inch or two of praise. How long will it be before the Texas steer is forgotten utterly for the Texas hog?

The Elusive Aubert.

Aubert has joined the Constitutionalists, Carranza says so himself. Later—He has not joined the Constitutionalists, but surrendered to a bunch of Don Venustiano's followers. This news is confirmed by Gov. Carranza. Still later—Don Venustiano Carranza denies the story that Gen. Aubert has surrendered to the Constitutionalists, but [illegible] on the contrary, [illegible] after being defeated by the [illegible] forces. Even later—we are [illegible] to hear that there never was [illegible] bert.—Laredo Times.

There is undoubtedly an Aubert. [illegible] El Paso papers have him [illegible] present in every [illegible] across the river. Still, as far as Aubert's latest allegiance is concerned, he seems to be as elusive as the present politics of a newspaper that switched to Roosevelt in the 1912 campaign. The rank and file of Texans probably hope there is an Aubert if he has any following worthy the name and has tied up with the crowd that is trying to send Huerta after Madero.

When the End Justifies.

It costs money, taxpayer money, to "referendum" in Oregon. Wherefore the Hood River News admonishes prayerful consideration before slapping the signature to a petition and passing the document along in agreeable and neighborly mood: "If you should be asked to sign your name to a referendum petition, it will be well to be sure that you are right before you put your name to the paper. If the referendum is invoked on any measure passed by the legislature it will mean a special election, and a special election will mean an expenditure of a sum close to $100,000. Will it be wise for the state of Oregon to incur this expense? This is a question you should consider well before you decide to aid such an effort." Any voter who can get $100,000 worth of fun out of recalling some act of his state's legislature must look upon increased government cost and increased living cost as almanac jokes.—Fort Worth Star-Telegram.

It might properly be suggested, however, without leaving Texas for illustration, that too many pieces of legislation would be worth $100,000 for the State's electorate to recall, compared with the sum, in dollars, of the damage worked the State's business and general development by permitting freak laws and inequitable laws to go on the statute books unrestrainedly.

Professional Jealousy.

Now comes the story that a churn exploded the other day and killed a Tarrant county man. Will the minions of the whiskey trust and the cold water claquers never cease their lying? Our records show only three devotees of the churn in Tarrant county and these are all happy, hearty and hilarious. Nailing lies must be the work of all great reformers for a time, but one day the truth will be known and then no liquid save the delightful acidulated lacteal fluid will ever find its way down the goozle of man. No, dear readers, buttermilk is not an explosive; it is the only true remedial agent, the only germicide that builds brain and brawn and makes the innards glad.—Honey Grove Signal.

Some day the State will tumble to the fact that the buttermilk bard of Honey Grove is personally interested in a successful dairy or two that supply the white enameled tanks which (we have heard) are now indispensable even on the mahogany counter.

HOLD PETITIONS OVER

BOARD DEFERS ACTION ON TWO REQUESTS TO EXTEND MAINS.

Fire Protection Is Keynote of College Heights Plea—To Consider Carefully.

Convening with barely a quorum last night, the city waterworks commission again deferred action on the petition of Fred Kingsbury and others of the College Heights addition asking for an extension of the city water mains to that section. But one other petition was considered, that of John Beckley, asking for the city service to be increased so as to take in three rent houses he proposes to build on Brooks avenue. This met with practically the same fate when the board postponed action until the next meeting, in order that it might be investigated.

The Kingsbury petition seeks to take in that portion of College Heights addition beginning at the intersection of Herring avenue and Fifteenth street, running along the latter thoroughfare four blocks north, and, turning west, ending at Eighteenth and McKenzie streets.

Under the present arrangement, the people living in the addition get their water from a private water company, but, Mr. Kingsbury pointed out, the arrangement is not wholly satisfactory. The pressure is not sufficient to safeguard the property in case of fire, and the city water is desired by them [illegible] as well as for [illegible] and [illegible] purposes.

The laying of a main, according to an off-hand estimate made by Commissioner [illegible], would cost about [illegible]

[illegible]

SCHOOLS HONOR HIM

NO EXERCISES ARE HELD AS A TRIBUTE TO CAPT. J. T. STRAIN.

Funeral Is Held at East Waco Cemetery in the Afternoon—Regret Is General.

As a tribute to the memory of Capt. J. T. Strain, who has for forty years been a teacher in the Waco public schools, the Fifth ward school in which he was principal at the time of his death, was closed yesterday during the entire day, and all the other schools in the city were dismissed thirty minutes earlier than usual. The board meeting which was scheduled for yesterday was deferred out of respect to his memory.

There was genuine regret expressed yesterday when it was learned through the Morning News that the death of Captain Strain had occurred in the early morning hour. He was admired by all who knew him, and during his recent illness there has been much anxious inquiry at the home as to his condition. Grown men of today, who learned their first lesson from him, remember the kindly man he was in the school room, and all over Waco there were sorrowing friends because of his demise.

The funeral occurred yesterday afternoon from the family residence, 301 Dallas street, East Waco, the children of the Fifth ward school all attending, and floral tributes from them attested the high regard in which he was held. Rev. H. E. Ingram conducted the funeral service. The pall bearers were:

Active—J. C. Lattimore, A. W. Flaniken, Frank Crow, T. F. Bryan, W. W. Prior, J. H. Gallagher.

Honorary—Judge Jno. C. West, R. G. Wright, W. D. Lacy, Sol Hirschberg, Sam Sanger, T. F. [illegible], S. H. Smith, W. B. Brazelton, C. H. Carringer, A. C. Prendergast.

Tribute From a Friend.

A tribute to Captain Strain, written by Russell H. Kingsbury, who, as a newspaper man and lawyer in Waco for a third of a century, knew him well is as follows:

"Monday, just before dawn, there was a rent made in the web of [illegible] and God patched it with a star. J. T. Strain had joined the galaxy of Christian [illegible]

[illegible]

that part of the county. She is survived by her children, George W. and [illegible] Jones of Waco, J. D. Jones of [illegible], Marion Jones who [illegible] at the homestead with his brother, J. C. Jones, who lives near Crawford.

She was a woman of [illegible] and benevolent nature and [illegible] and Christian character.

Mrs. Elizabeth [illegible].

Mrs. Elizabeth [illegible], [illegible] years, died last night at [illegible] at the residence of her [illegible] J. [illegible], 1826 North Tenth street.

She is survived by two [illegible], two sisters and [illegible]. The funeral will be held from the residence this afternoon at [illegible]. Burial will be made in [illegible] cemetery with Rev. H. D. [illegible] officiating.

MUSTERS IN THE MILITARY

Colonel York Gives Official Recognition to the New Waco Company.

At the rooms of the Young Men's Business League last night, the new military company for Waco, of which Preston A. Weatherred is to be captain, was mustered into the Texas National Guard.

Col. [illegible] York of the Adjutant General's office at Austin, was here to administer the oath to the members and to give the organization official recognition. He was not prepared to name the regiment or letter designation of the company at this time, but the members of the new organization asked that it be not called Company F or Company K as companies by those designations have heretofore been mustered out in Waco.

Only two officers have been selected, P. A. Weatherred as captain, and R. Fiske Wright as first lieutenant. Other officers are to be selected later. The next meeting will be held Wednesday night. The following were mustered in last night: I. C. Bailey, [illegible]

KATY ADOPTS NEW RULE

THE PASSENGERS MUST BE INFORMED OF CAUSES OF DELAY.

Trainmen Instructed to Tell Travelers Wherefore of Wait-overs—Public Approves Ruling.

After pounding home "Get the safety habit," the Missouri, Kansas and Texas is launching upon a decided innovation. Hereafter, when the delayed Katy passenger wants information concerning his enforced wait, he will not be given a "grouchy," incomplete answer by the train crew. He will not even have to ask; the conductor will walk up to him, take off his hat, bow politely and pleasantly recite to him the cause of the delay.

The ruling just passed by the road requiring members of the train crew and even the station agent to announce the actual cause and probable length of a delay occasioned by a wreck, washout or whatever it may be, is meeting with the unstinted approval of the traveling public. According to the new order of things, the passengers must be told why they can not go forward. If a train is halted by a wreck ahead, a member of the crew will go through the car, announce it, and tell how long the delay will probably last. The station agent must announce the same on a bulletin at his station. The use of telegraph or telephone will also be extended to delayed passengers, who may desire to use them.

It is believed that through this much delay and loss of time and money will be saved Katy travelers.

SHRINERS GO TO GALVESTON

Five Special Trains Manned by Nobles Will Pass Through Waco Thursday.

Next Thursday morning five special Shriner trains from Dallas will be routed through Waco over the Katy to Galveston from Dallas. None will stop in the city, but will proceed through the yards at intervals of five minutes each. The feature of the run will be that the train crew from engineer to porter will be composed of Shriners.

The itinerary after leaving Waco will be: Arrive at Austin 3:30 p. m., leave Austin 11:59 p. m.; arrive San Antonio the next morning at 3 a. m., leave San Antonio 11:59 p. m.; arrive in Houston the following morning at 7:30 p. m., leave Houston 4 p. m.; arrive at Galveston 5:40 p. m., and leave Galveston the following evening at 8 o'clock for the return trip to Dallas. At each of the towns where the trains stop the nobles will be entertained by the local patrols.

Central Will Bring Fans Here Sunday

To accommodate the fans along the Lone Star Line from Cross Plains to Tokio, who desire to see the Waco and Beaumont teams in action on the local diamond next Sunday, the Texas Central has arranged for a special through excursion train into Waco on the 18th. According to the announcement of General Passenger Agent Blair, the train will leave Cisco Sunday morning at 4 o'clock, reaching here at 11 o'clock. The returning through train for Cisco and Cross Plains will leave Waco Sunday evening at 8:30 o'clock. The maximum round trip fare is a couple of dollars.

Home Seekers Return.

Eight cars of home seekers returning from the Brownsville country to Kansas City, passed through Waco yesterday morning at 3 o'clock over the Katy. A number of the Middle Westerners are reported to have purchased land near Brownsville and will take up their residence there in a short while.

Cotton Mill for Wichita Falls.

Paris, Tex., May 12.—Captain E. C. Holt of North Carolina, met a committee here today and discussed the question of building a cotton mill here. He decided to build the mill at Wichita Falls, instead of Paris, as citizens had subscribed sufficient funds there and that city has natural gas advantages.

TEACHING GOLF GAME

HUACO CLUB HAS A PROFESSIONAL TO GIVE INSTRUCTION TO MEMBERS.

William Watson of Los Angeles Holds School in the Open Air—Many Players Out.

There is renewed interest in golf at the Huaco course among the novices, since there is a professional at hand now to teach the game, and new clubs and new players are a possibility on the links within the next few days.

Golf has its devotees who are faithful. Every afternoon sees Judge Marshall Surratt, O. H. Ramsey, George Rotan, C. M. Hubby, Sr., and C. M. Hubby, Jr., Charles H. Brooks, W. D. Rondthaler, Clint Padgitt, Henry P. Smith, Fred J. Baker, R. G. Patton and a number of others who are "good at the game," dragging their clubs across the short and the high grass. There are a lot of beginners with these, improving from day to day. George Rotan is the state champion. He plays a consistent game, and always turns in a good chart. Clarence Hubby, Jr., is rather good company for him.

The club, through Chairman Henry P. Smith of the Greens committee, has engaged the services of William Watson of Los Angeles, a professional, to give instruction in the game. He has established his university under the shade of a tree between the first teeing ground and No. 1 hole and every afternoon he has a number of novices in hand teaching them the strokes, the various clubs and their uses, and the correct poise. However, there are others besides the novices who are taking lessons, as some of the old players are getting the benefit of the advice that Mr. Watson can give. Mr. Watson is a native of Scotland, being brought up among the famous golfers of St. Andrew's. After receiving a university education, natural interest led him to devote scientific study to the principles underlying a correct form of play and the best methods of practice. He has spent a great deal of his time in the west as the "professional" at well known hotels and resorts, at the Denver Country Club, at the Minikahda club, Minneapolis; at the Meadow Brook club, Wisconsin, and at clubs in Vermont and other states in New England.

The engagement of the professional to teach the game of golf at the Huaco club has not been fixed for a definite time. The Greens committee is undecided just how long the members will want the instruction, and the tentative engagement is for a week. The professional may stay longer if the members desire it.

It is interesting to watch the instruction. With a club caught in his elbows across his back, the instructor stands in the shade of a small oak tree. His student has a half dozen balls and all the clubs. As the instruction is given a ball is driven across the course and a speeding caddy recovers it. Then another ball follows and the caddy is busy. The driver, the brassie, the niblick, the mashie and midiron—in fact all the clubs are used in turn and instruction is given in each. It is a quiet lesson in the big school room—the school room in the open air. To one at a distance they have the appearance of a couple of fellows under a tree talking—one serious and the other knocking stones with a stick as he listens, but in the minutes that are given to each student much is said that is valuable to those who want to learn the game.

WOULD-BE ROBBERS FLEE

"Bad Men" Leave Stamford Station in Great Haste When Freight Train Approaches.

George Buckingham, freight agent for the Texas Central at Stamford, narrowly missed being robbed last Saturday night of his station funds, according to a report received at division headquarters from the agent yesterday.

In his report the agent states that shortly after 9 o'clock two masked white men appeared at the station window, inviting him in no uncertain manner to hand his funds over to them. Before action could be taken, however, the approach of freight train No. 95, southbound, frightened both away. They were seen to mount horses a short distance from the station and ride away. Agent Buckingham was unable to recognize them on account of the masks both wore. No reports have been received of their appearance in that section of the country since.

UNITED FRUIT CO. IN TOILS

Federal Suit Is Started, Claiming Violation of the Anti-trust Law.

Washington, May 13.—A federal anti-trust suit against the United Fruit company was discussed at the department of justice today at a conference between James A. Fowler, assistant to the attorney general; Wm. S. Gregg, special assistant to the attorney general, and John B. Stanchfield and E. B. Wilson, attorneys for the company. The latter defended it against charges of violation of the Sherman anti-trust law.

For several weeks the federal grand jury at New York has been investigating the situation.

Subpoenaes Are Served.

Boston, May 12.—Federal officials served subpoenaes today on Wm. Newsome, manager of the United Fruit company; Sheppard G. Schermerhorn, general manager of the central and South American department of the company, and Charles B. Jopp, president of the Beacon Trust company, requiring them to appear as witnesses before the federal grand jury at New York, which is endeavoring to determine whether the fruit company has violated the Sherman anti-trust law.

Both Newsome and Schermerhorn are directors of the company.

The Boston men are expected to be examined tomorrow.

FLOOD CREST GOES TO GULF

Danger Has Passed on the Mississippi River—Falling Stages Are Reported.

New Orleans, May 12.—The crest of the big 1913 flood has passed out of the Mississippi river into the Gulf of Mexico.

Falling stages were recorded today at all points along the Mississippi south of St. Louis, except at New Orleans, where the river gauge was stationary and the weather bureau issued a bulletin announcing there would be no further rise in the river.

At Red river landing, where the Gibson's landing crevasse water is slowly returning to the Mississippi, the gauge registered 50.4, a drop of two-tenths of a foot during the past 48 hours.

Millions for Supplies.

Washington, May 12.—Congress soon will be called upon to pay a bill of nearly $1,000,000 for food, clothing, shelter and medical service supplied by the army and navy to the flood sufferers in the Ohio and Mississippi valleys recently. Secretary Garrison is preparing a deficiency estimate which must be allowed during the present session, as the army funds have been so depleted that unless they are reimbursed, the entire military service will be tied up until July 1.

NOTICE—Sprinkling hours from 6 to 8 p. m.

INDICTED OFFICIALS ARE FREED

168 Locked in New Orleans Because of Loophole in the Election Laws.

New Orleans, May 12.—Because the Louisiana election laws fail specifically to impose upon commissioners of elections to make sworn returns of the vote cast on proposed constitutional amendments, the 168 indicted election officials of the city of New Orleans charged with falsifying the returns on amendments at the November election, will not have to face trial for their alleged crime. The Louisiana state supreme court today handed down a decision to this effect.

The court held that, whereas the law provides penalties for failure to make true returns of the votes cast for national, state, parish and municipal officials, no such provision is made for tabulating votes on constitutional amendments, and therefore, in the absence of a statute, there can be no conviction for such offense.

Although the indictments charge that these men falsified returns of the votes cast for these amendments, there was no evidence of falsification of the returns in the instances in this city.

A summary of the votes made by the grand jury showed nearly two months.

Beachy Quite Flying; Recalls Many Tragedies of the Air

San Francisco, May 12.—Lincoln Beachey, aviator, will never fly again, according to his statement last night at the Olympic club.

"You couldn't make me enter an aeroplane at the point of a revolver," he emphatically asserted. "I'm done."

"They called me the master birdman, but there was just one thing which drew crowds to my exhibitions—a morbid desire to see something happen. They all predicted I would be killed and no one wanted to miss getting in on it. They paid to see me die. They bet and the odds always were against my life."

Beachey read a roster of twenty-four aviators who had been killed while flying.

"These boys were like brothers to me," he said. "In Chicago last September, Kearney's mother begged me not to teach Horace any more tricks. Kearney turned and said: 'Mother, I must be a topliner. I must be as good as Beachey, or take a back seat. I must try the same tricks he does.'

"Three months later he was dead.

"The wife of Welsh begged him to cut out the spiral. 'Beachey does them. I must do them if I am to get the money.'

"Charlie was doing the reverse spiral two weeks later at Trenton, N. J., a wire snapped—they picked him up dead.

"Some time later I sent some tickets to Mrs. Ely. She sent back the tickets, writing:

"'Eugene would have been with me now, if he had never seen you fly.'"

INCREASE IN IMPORTATIONS.

More Cotton Is Being Brought Into This Country.

Washington, May 12.—A statement given out by Secretary of Commerce William C. Redfield, indicates that the importation of manufacturers' materials imported into the United States during the present fiscal year will greatly exceed the imports of last year and will exceed the mark of any previous year in the history of our country, if the figures for the nine months ended March, 1913, be any criterion. Of the 63 important articles forming the basis of the imports of such materials—i. e., cotton, wool, fibers, silk, tin, copper, rubber, hides, lumber, and tobacco—the imports will, with but two exceptions, exceed the former high record mark.

The quantity of raw cotton imported during the first nine months of the present fiscal year was over 100 million pounds, as compared with 64 million pounds in the corresponding months of last year; 163 million pounds of wool were received as against 126 million last year 218 thousand tons of fibers against 231 thousand; 29 million pounds of raw silk, against 126 million last year; 318 thousand of pig tin, against 83 million; 284 million pounds of copper pigs, bars, etc., against 206 million; 87 million pounds of crude india rubber, against 81 million; 453 million pounds of hides and skins, against 374 million; 218 thousand M meet of boards, planks and deals against 645 thousand M feet and 4½ million pounds of leaf tobacco, against 37 million pounds. The only cases in which the imports for the corresponding period of any previous year exceeded the imports for the nine months ended March of this year were when the imports of hides and skins amounted to 480 million pounds in 1910 as against 453 million pounds for this year, and when in 1896, 1897, 1905, 1909 and 1910 the imports of wool slightly exceeded the imports of the current year.

KILLS CHILDREN AND HERSELF.

Woman at Weimar Commits Quadruple Crime Sunday Morning.

Weimar, Tex., May 12.—Mrs. Josephine Slavik, wife of Victor Slavik, a well known Bohemian citizen of this city, killed her three children and then committed suicide Sunday morning.

During the absence of her husband, who had gone to church, Mrs. Slavik took her three children, Joseph, aged 4; Mary, 2, and the baby, six months, into their sleeping room and closed the door.

She took a single barreled shot gun with which she shot Joseph in the head.

The woman ripped open a feather bed, poured kerosene into it, set it afire and threw herself and her children into the flames.

Hobson Corpus Postponed.

Eagle Pass, Tex., May 12.—An attempt has been made to obtain the release of Miguel Palacio, accused of killing Sam Hearn, a Mexican refugee, on Mexican soil, but after much testimony had been taken the case was postponed ten days at defendant's request, to allow him to get further witnesses.

WACO SUCCUMBS TO GIANT BRAINS

VISITORS USE THEIR NOODLES AND WIN—SCORE WAS 7 TO 6.

SUPPORT SAVES SCHWENK

Gets in Holes Repeatedly, but Teammates Answer Distress Signals and Save Game.

TEXAS LEAGUE.

Standing of the Teams.

	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Houston	19	12	.613
San Antonio	18	12	.600
Dallas	18	13	.581
Waco	16	16	.500
Galveston	16	16	.500
Austin	15	16	.484
Fort Worth	13	19	.419
Beaumont	11	20	.355

It was an overabundance of brain cells that the Navigators went up against at Katy Park yesterday, and the brain cells won out. Not only was there an unusual amount of brain matter for the locals to buck, but at intervals it looked suspiciously like there was a slight lack of the same commodity on the part of the Carsonites, which prevented a different story from that which is.

Another intangible factor, which had to do with the downfall of the Navs, in spite of the many who say "there ain't no such thing," was Luck, poor old overblamed Luck; but he certainly made himself manifest at yesterday's lawn fete and deserves to share the victory with Cavender brains. With men on all bases, Waco's best hitters would walk up like good little boys in one two three order, tap easy bounders or taffy candy pop-ups to Tullos, caverting around the third sack for Dallas; and Mr. Tullos is some caverter when the game is going his way.

The visitors were always at home, however, when critical moments came a-visiting. When they needed a sacrifice they sacrificed; when they decided to work a squeeze they wound up and cut loose, and nothing seemed capable of stopping them.

It was most certainly not a lack of hitting that lost the game for Waco. The gentleman that Manager Cavender handed out to do duty as a pitcher needed a label to designate his position, for he certainly had nothing else that might in any way give an inkling of his profession. His chief ability seemed to be to get into very deep holes and then yelp for help; and lucky it was for him that eight good men and true were always available to extricate him from the predicaments of his own making. It seemed that he was playing a game of tag with fate, betting with himself how often he could come mighty near giving the game away and not quite. He would overload the bases, then lay in wait for some renowned Waco slugger, and see if the men behind him would prevent a catastrope—and they always did.

Schoolmaster Ogle, who tossed for Waco, allowed the game to get from under his jurisdiction in the third, and the opponents hit four times for five runs. Outside this he did fairly well, especially in the strike-out department.

Dugey and Wohlleben shared honors in the number of hits, but Dugey being credited with one more legal time at bat, big Fred got the better on the batting average of the day.

In the first of the third, Kellerman for Dallas sent a Texas leaguer to left, Schwenk got to first on a bad throw by Reilly and both advanced on Duncan's out. Boone hit for a squeeze, which worked, scoring Kellerman and getting to first on slow fielding of the ball, which was credited a hit. Wilson walked. Marshall struck out and Tullos knocked a three-bagger, scoring Schwenk and Boone. Hill scored Tullos with a hit and Storch finished the bat-around by striking out.

In Waco's half of the same inning Rennard walked, Reilly flew out, Rennard advanced to second on a wild pitch. Ogle fanned, Dugey hit, scoring Rennard, McMahon went out, Tullos to Hill.

In the fourth Kellerman hit, Schwenk sacrificed, Duncan hit a two-bagger, scoring Kellerman. Duncan went out on a fielder's choice and Wilson was out, McMahon to Wohlleben.

Waco got three men on bases in the fifth, with none out, but failed to score, and several times had great chances, but failed to connect with the ball at the psychological time. In the ninth, with the score 7 to 3, Waco made a brave effort, scoring three. Powers was sent into get a pinch hit, when Wohlleben was on third as a result of a two-bagger by himself, but the youngster created an anti-climax by laying one down at the plate, finishing the game.

Waco—	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Dugey, 2b	5	0	3	3	2	0
McMahon, ss	5	1	1	1	4	0
Beck, 3b	5	1	1	1	4	0
McLaurin, lf	5	1	1	1	0	1
Wohlleben, 1b	4	2	3	11	1	1
Crichlow, cf	4	0	2	2	0	0
Rennard, rf	2	1	1	1	0	0
Reilly, c	5	0	0	7	2	1
Ogle, p	2	0	0	0	4	0
*Powers	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	38	6	12	27	17	3

*Batted for Ogle in ninth.

Dallas—						
Duncan, rf	4	0	1	2	0	0
Boone, ss	5	1	1	2	2	0
Wilson, lf	4	2	2	2	0	1
Marshall, c	4	0	0	5	2	0
Tullos, 3b	3	1	1	0	5	1
Hill, 1b	4	0	1	10	2	0
Storch, cf	4	0	1	2	0	0
Kellerman, 2b	3	2	2	3	1	0
Schwenk, p	3	1	0	0	3	0
Totals	33	7	9	27	15	4

Score by innings—

Waco	001 001 103—6
Dallas	005 100 100—7

Summary: Stolen bases, Wilson 2. Two-base hits, Wohlleben 2, Crichlow, Hill, Duncan, Beck. Three-base hit, Tullos. Sacrifice hits, Rennard, Kellerman, Schwenk 2, Tullos. Sacrifice fly, Rennard. Double plays, Boone to Kellerman to Hill; Schwenk to Marshall to Hill. Bases on balls, off Ogle 2, off Schwenk 4. Batter hit, by Schwenk 1. Wild pitch, Schwenk. Struck out, by Ogle 7, by Schwenk 1. Left on bases, Waco 12, Dallas 5. First on errors, Waco 3, Dallas 2. Time of game, 2:02. Umpires, Vitter and Mullaney.

Austin 1, Fort Worth 0.

Austin, May 12.—Two players on the injured list and one refusing to play, Manager George Lakey broke into the game himself today and his sacrifice fly to right field scored the only run of the game and Austin won a 1 to 0 victory from Fort Worth in the last of the series. Taylor pitched great ball for the Senators, yielding only three scattered hits. Cann worked for the Panthers and allowed only three hits, but wildness, coupled with two costly errors were responsible for the winning run. In the first inning Austin had the bases full with no outs, but were unable to score. Physicians warned Brainard not to play. He probably has a broken wrist from an injury at Galveston.

Score—

Fort Worth—	AB.	R.	PO.	A.	E.
McAvoy, 1b	4	0	1	4	4	0
Maloney, lf	3	0	0	0	0	0
Salm, rf	3	0	0	2	0	0
Akin, 3b	3	0	0	1	4	1
Eberline, 1b	4	0	1	10	3	0
Kneaves, ss	3	0	0	3	4	0
Howard, cf	3	0	1	0	0	0
Vance, c	3	0	0	4	3	0
Cann, p	2	0	0	0	1	1
Totals	26	0	3	24	18	2

Austin—						
Brownlow, lf	3	0	1	2	0	0
Roche, ss	2	0	0	3	1	1
McIver, cf	3	0	1	3	0	0
Cook, rf	3	0	0	1	1	0
Hille, 3b	3	1	0	1	0	0
Thompson, 2b	1	0	0	2	3	1
Haigh, c	3	0	0	5	2	0
Leidy, 1b	2	0	1	9	0	0
Taylor, p	3	0	0	0	4	0
Totals	23	1	3	27	11	2

By innings—	
Fort Worth	000 000 000—0
Austin	000 100 00x—1

Summary—Left on bases, Fort Worth 3, Austin 5. Stolen bases, Maloney 2, Salm, Howard, Hille, Leidy. Sacrifice hits, Kneaves, Roche. Sacrifice fly, Leidy. First base on balls, off Cann 5, Taylor 4. Struck out, by Cann 2, Taylor 5. First base on errors, Fort Worth 2, Austin 2. Double plays, Austin, Cook to Roche. Hit by pitcher, Cann 1. Time 1:27. Umpire, Matthews.

Beaumont 11, San Antonio 9.

San Antonio, May 12.—With both sides stringing the ball hard, Beaumont hit more opportunely and won the final of the series, 11 to 9. The locals played errorless ball, but they could not hit quite at the right time.

Score—

San Antonio—	AB.	R.	H.	PO.	A.	E.
Lemon, lf	5	0	1	4	1	0
Schwind, ss	5	2	2	0	1	0
Seitz, 2b	4	1	2	1	4	0
Gray, rf	3	1	1	2	0	0
Stinson, cf	3	0	0	3	1	0
Frantz, 1b	5	1	0	9	0	0
Kibler, 3b	4	2	1	1	0	0
Price, c	2	1	0	7	0	0
Morton, p	2	0	2	0	1	0
Goodwin, p	2	1	0	0	2	0
xCollins	1	0	0	0	0	0
Schan, c	0	0	0	0	0	0
xxAllen	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	37	9	10	27	10	0

xBatted for Price in seventh.
xxAllen batted for Schan in ninth.

Beaumont—						
Dobard, ss	3	3	2	1	1	1
Wheeler, 3b	4	1	1	1	2	1
Casey, 2b	4	1	1	1	2	0
Downey, rf	4	0	1	0	0	0
Betts, cf	4	0	1	1	0	1
Williams, lf	5	1	1	4	0	0
Cooke, 1b	3	1	0	8	1	1
Reynolds, c	2	3	1	11	0	0
Martina, p	4	1	2	0	2	1
Totals	33	11	10	27	8	5

By innings—	
San Antonio	025 100 010— 9
Beaumont	103 430 000—11

Summary—Innings pitched, by Morton 4, Goodwin 5. Runs made off Morton 10, Goodwin 1. Hits apportioned, off Morton 8, Goodwin 2. Two-base hits, Kibler, Williams, Betts. Home runs, Reynolds. Stolen bases, Schwind 2, Gray, Cooke. Sacrifice hits, Wheeler, Gray, Seitz. Sacrifice fly, Betts, Stinson 2, Dobard. Struck out, by Morton 6, Martina 11, Goodwin 1. Bases on balls, Morton 5, Martina 1. Batters hit, by Morton 1. Left on bases, San Antonio 8, Beaumont 4. Wild pitches, Morton 2. Passed balls, Price 1. Time 2:05. Umpire, Howell.

Houston 10, Galveston 3.

Corsicana, Tex., May 12.—Ten to three in favor of Houston tells the story of the game between Houston and Galveston here today. It was a game in which hits and errors were prominent and but for Mowry's hit over the fence would have been without a feature. Galveston put Lindsey, Roberts and Maloney in the box, while R. Allen did all the pitching honors for Houston.

Score—

Galveston—	AB.	R.	H.	PO.	A.	E.
Madden, 2b	3	0	0	1	0	0
Heitt, rf	2	0	0	2	1	0
Bauer, rf	5	0	0	4	2	0
Williams, 1b	4	0	1	10	0	1
Hopkins, cf	4	1	2	3	0	0
Frierson, lf	4	1	2	2	1	0
Massey, 3b	2	0	0	1	1	0
Dodd, ss	3	1	1	2	3	1
Jordan, c	4	0	1	0	1	0
Lindsey, p	1	0	0	0	1	0
Roberts, p	2	0	1	0	3	0
Maloney, p	1	0	0	0	1	0
Totals	34	3	6	24	14	2

Houston—	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Knaupp, 2b	3	0	1	1	2	0
Fillman, 2b	1	0	0	0	2	0
Britton, ss	5	2	2	0	3	1
Davis, rf	3	2	3	2	0	0
Whiteman, cf	4	2	2	3	0	0
Criss, 1b	4	0	2	10	0	0
McDonald, 3b	5	1	1	0	0	1
Mowry, lf	5	1	2	4	0	1
S. Allen, c	4	1	2	6	0	0
R. Allen, p	3	1	2	0	2	0
Totals	37	10	17	27	10	2

By innings—	
Galveston	000 002 000— 2
Houston	110 026 00x—10

Summary—Stolen bases, Williams, Dodd. Double plays, Frierson and Bauer, Maloney, Dodd and Williams. Innings pitched, by Lindsey 3, Roberts 4, Maloney 2. Bases on balls, off Allen 2, Roberts 4. Sacrifice hits, Massey, Dodd, Fillman, Davis. Two-base hits, Britton, Davis, Whiteman 2, McDonald, R. Allen. Home run, Mowry. Hits, off Lindsey 6, Roberts 8, Maloney 3. Struck out, by Allen 3. Wild pitch, Roberts. Hit by pitcher, by Allen 1. Left on bases, Galveston 8, Houston 8. Umpire Mellon. Time 1:35.

MAGEE'S HOMER BEATS PIRATES

PITTSBURG TAKES LEAD IN THE FIRST, BUT LOCALS WIN.

GAME LASTS ELEVEN INNINGS

O'Toole Replaces Adams for Visitors, White Mayer Succeeds Moore for the Phillies.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Standing of the Teams.

	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Philadelphia	13	6	.684
Brooklyn	15	8	.652
Chicago	15	11	.577
St. Louis	13	11	.544
New York	11	11	.500
Pittsburg	10	15	.400
Boston	9	12	.429
Cincinnati	6	15	.286

Philadelphia, May 12.—Philadelphia defeated Pittsburg in an 11-inning contest today 6 to 5. Lobert scoring the deciding run by reaching third when Wilson fumbled his single and Magee sent a sacrifice fly to Hyatt. Pittsburg took a lead of two runs in the first inning, but the home team forged ahead in the fifth on Paskert's triple, Knabe's double and Magee's home run. Mayer, who succeeded Moore in the ninth, held Pittsburg safe, while O'Toole took Adams' place in the sixth.

Score—		R.	H.	E.
Pittsburg	200 002 010 00—	5	10	2
Philadelphia	000 020 101 01—	6	12	3

Adams, O'Toole and Kelly; Moore, Mayer and Dooin.

Boston 6, St. Louis 4.

Boston, May 12.—Maranville, Boston's diminutive shortstop, continued his brilliant playing today. His triple in the fifth inning, with men on first and second bases put the locals ahead and his fielding kept them there. The score was 6 to 4. Boston was outhit by St. Louis 14 to 8 but Rudolph, who made his debut for the locals, succeeded Gervais in the fourth and kept the visitors' hits scattered.

Score—		R.	H.	E.
Boston	010 031 01*—	6	8	1
St. Louis	*.101 101 000—	4	14	3

Gervais, Rudolph and Whaling; Sallee, Geyer, Harmon and McLean.

Brooklyn 4, Cincinnati 3.

Brooklyn, May 12.—The Brooklyns made it two straight from Cincinnati today, winning 4 to 3. Brooklyn took a lead of three runs off Johnson by hard hitting in the second and fourth innings. Rucker had a bad inning in the fifth and before he could settle down Cincinnati had the score tied. With one out, Marsans walked and Grant was safe on an error by Dahlen. Singles by Clark, Johnson and Bates followed quickly. Three runs resulted. Rucker then pulled himself together and two force outs checked the visitors. Brooklyn came right back with the winning run in its half of the fifth by hits by Miller and Berger, Brown's wild throw and a wild pitch.

Score:		R.	H.	E.
Cincinnati	000 020 000—	3	7	1
Brooklyn	020 010 010—	4	8	1

Johnson, Brown and Kling, Clarke; Rucker and Miller.

New York 5, Chicago 1.

New York, May 12.—New York today knocked Lou Richie out of the box in five innings and won from Chicago with ease. The score was 5 to 1. Mathewson pitched his usual strong game for New York, holding Chicago to three hits.

Manager Evers was put out of the field in the fourth inning for protesting a decision at second base. He reappeared in center field in the eighth and the umpires would not allow the game to continue until he left the field.

Score—		R.	H.	E.
Chicago	000 000 100—	1	3	0
New York	000 320 00*—	5	10	3

Richie, Lifield and Archer; Mathewson and Meyers.

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS.

Texas League.
Dallas 7, Waco 6.
Houston 10, Galveston 3 (exhibition.)
Beaumont 11, San Antonio 9.
Austin 1, Fort Worth 0.

National League.
Philadelphia 6, Pittsburg 5 (11 innings.)
Brooklyn 4, Cincinnati 3.
Boston 6, St. Louis 4.
New York 5, Chicago 1.

American League.
Detroit 3, Boston 7.
Philadelphia 3, Chicago 6.
Washington 2, St. Louis 0.
New York 4, Cleveland 2.

International League.
Buffalo 11-3, Baltimore 1-2 (second game 13 innings.)
Rochester 0, Providence 2.
Toronto 3, Jersey City 5.
Montreal-Newark, today's schedule game was played yesterday.

WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY.

Texas League.
San Antonio at Waco.
Beaumont at Austin.
Houston at Fort Worth.
Galveston at Dallas.

American League.
Washington at St. Louis.
New York at Cleveland.
Boston at Detroit.
Philadelphia at Chicago.

National League.
St. Louis at Boston.
Cincinnati at Brooklyn.
Pittsburg at Philadelphia.
Chicago at New York.

Southern League.
Chattanooga at New Orleans.
Nashville at Mobile.
Birmingham at Montgomery.
Atlanta at Memphis.

Golden and Bender Game.
Philadelphia, May 12.—[illegible] ton, the [illegible] Frankie Bender, [illegible] six rounds here [illegible] close the popular [illegible] But for [illegible] round Bender [illegible] earned the decision.

O'CONNOR GETS $6,000

ST. LOUIS MUST PAY FORMER MANAGER SALARY LOST BY DISMISSAL.

Spectators Claim Players Ordered to Assist Lajoie's Batting Average, but Jack Wins Case.

St. Louis, May 12.—The St. Louis American league baseball club must pay Jack O'Connor $6000, the amount he would have received in salary had he not been discharged as manager prior to the 1910 season, a jury in the circuit court decided tonight. The trial, which had occupied the court all day, came to a close with unexpected suddenness. The jurors were out only thirty minutes.

O'Connor was called to the stand in rebuttal as the last witness. He denied the testimony of Sidney Cook and J. B. Cronheim, baseball writers, that they had from the grandstand overheard O'Connor's orders that enabled Napoleon Lajoie of the Cleveland team to almost tie the batting average of Ty Cobb for the 1910 season. Cook testified that he heard O'Connor instruct Pitcher Malloy to give bases on balls to certain Cleveland batters and in one instance heard him instruct Malloy to hit Manager McGuire of Cleveland with the ball. Malloy, the witness said, hit Manager McGuire. The effect of these instructions, the witness said, was to bring Lajoie to bat every other inning. Cook also testified that he heard O'Connor swear at Third Baseman Corridon for getting his hand on a ball hit by Lajoie, thus causing Lajoie to be credited only with a sacrifice.

Julius Cronheim, who sat in the grandstand with Cook, testified that he heard the instructions to the players similar to those testified to by Cook but that he was not so sure of the voices of the speakers as was his companion.

A deposition filed in the case today by President Johnson of the American league stated that Johnson ordered the dismissal of O'Connor on the ground that he had instructed Third Baseman John Corridon to play back of the base when Napoleon Lajoie was at bat for Cleveland, thereby enabling Lajoie to run up his batting record.

President Hedges of the St. Louis team denied he discharged O'Connor at the order of Ban Johnson. He also said that between $600,000 and $700,000 had been invested in the St. Louis Americans and that in the last three years $100,000 had been spent in an effort to strengthen the team. Mr. Hedges said he attended the double header in question and at the time made no protest at the work of the St. Louis players.

NASHVILLE WINS IN ELEVENTH

After Allowing Mobile Four Climbs on Leaders and Wins in Extra Session.

SOUTHERN LEAGUE.

Standing of the Teams.

	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Mobile	24	8	.750
Nashville	16	13	.533
Atlanta	16	14	.533
Memphis	15	14	.517
Montgomery	13	16	.448
Birmingham	11	15	.407
Chattanooga	13	18	.419
New Orleans	10	18	.357

Mobile, Ala., May 12.—After Mobile had bombarded Fisherty for four runs in the first, Williams succeeded him and held Mobile safe, Nashville playing a fine uphill game and winning out in the eleventh inning.

Score—		R.	H.	E.
Mobile	400 000 000 00—	4	6	0
Nashville	100 100 200 01—	4	7	1

Sawyer and Schmidt; Fisherty and Williams and Noyes.

Chattanooga 4, New Orleans 8.

New Orleans, May 12.—The windup of Swindell and Brinson in the first and third innings was largely responsible for Chattanooga's victory in the first of the series here today. Cole 2. Moore was also wild, Covaleskie replacing him.

Score—		R.	H.	E.
Chattanooga	301 000 002—	4	6	3
New Orleans	400 010 100—	8	3	4

Moore, Covaleskie and Sweet; Swindell, Brinson and Tonin.

Montgomery 5, Birmingham 1.

Montgomery, Ala., May 12.—Elmer Brown pitched Montgomery had an easy time taking the game of the series from Birmingham. Brown allowed only two hits, [illegible] being scattered, and struck out 13 batters.

Score:		R.	H.	E.
Birmingham	000 100 000—	1	2	1
Montgomery	200 010 00*—	5	9	1

Frank, Hardgrove and Sayre; E. Brown and Donahue.

Memphis 5, Atlanta 3.

Memphis, Tenn., May 12.—With the score 3 to 1 in favor of Atlanta, Chappelle weakened at the start of the seventh inning today and failure to win retired Memphis and paved the way to an 8 to 3 victory.

Score—		R.	H.	E.
Atlanta	000 000 300—	3	7	1
Memphis	000 011 20*—	8	12	2

Chappelle, Fortune and Smith; Parnell and Gallagher.

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ATHLETICS TAKE GAME AT CHICAGO

ALTHOUGH SUTHY, PHILADELPHIA THREW THE WHITE SOX 3 TO 6.

BENDER IS WELL SUPPORTED

Chicago Gets Men on Third, but Fails to Get the Necessary Hits.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Standing of the Teams.

	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Philadelphia	17	6	.739
Cleveland	17	8	.680
Washington	15	6	.714
Chicago	16	12	.571
St. Louis	11	10	.497
Boston	9	13	.375
Detroit	9	13	.375
New York	6	17	.261

Chicago, May 12.—Chicago outhit Philadelphia today, but the breech of the game was in favor of the visitors and the locals were shut out 3 to 6. Russell outpitched the veteran Bender, but the fielding behind the Indian more than overcame this, while that behind Russell was weak.

Philadelphia earned but one of her runs; that was in the sixth, when Oldring's double, a sacrifice and Baker's single registered a tally.

Three times Chicago had men on far as third base, but failed to deliver a hit in the pinch, even though Manager Callahan called on his pinch hitters, Easterly and Burton.

Score—		R.	H.	E.
Philadelphia	010 001 000—	3	7	0
Chicago	000 000 000—	0	4	3

Bender and Thomas; Smith, Russell and Schalk.

New York 4, Cleveland 2.

Cleveland, May 12.—Pounding by Cleveland's three errors, New York won today's game 4 to 2. McConnell was more effective than Covington in the fourth inning, when two singles and a double scored Cleveland's three runs. Wild throws by Gregg and Chapman gave New York two runs. Two singles and Walker's triple in the fifth scored the other two.

Lajoie was out of the game with a broken thumb and finger, the result of being hit on the hand with a pitched ball yesterday.

Score		R.	H.	E.
Cleveland	000 200 000—	2	7	3
New York	001 000 003—	4	8	0

Gregg and O'Neil; McConnell and Sweeney.

Washington 2, St. Louis 0.

St. Louis, May 12.—Groom was in great form today and easily beat St. Louis, Washington winning 2 to 0. Mitchell pitched great ball for St. Louis, but an error by Pratt allowed Washington to score in the second. Groom tripled after two were out and scored when Pratt fumbled Moeller's grounder. Moeller took second on a balk and scored on Schaefer's single.

Score:		R.	H.	E.
St. Louis	000 000 000—	0	4	3
Washington	000 000 002—	2	6	0

Mitchell and McAllister; Groom and Henry.

Detroit 8, Boston 7.

Detroit, May 12.—Fighting an uphill game all the way and tying the score in the eighth inning when four hits produced three runs, Detroit today defeated Boston 8 to 7 in the second game of the series. The contest was marked by hard hitting when hits were needed most.

Detroit had three pitchers and Boston two. Lake twirled the last two innings for the locals and [illegible] while West, who succeeded Leonard, was the winner of the game. In the fourth Cobb did nearly every thing, although the ball boy was returned to Chicago ahead of the team.

Score—		R.	H.	E.
Boston	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Detroit	100 100 [illegible]—	8	[illegible]	1

Leonard, Wood and Carrigan, Cady; West, Hamilton, Lake and Stanage, Rondeau.

CITY LEAGUE.

Standing of the Teams.

	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

COTTON CLOSES HIGH

[illegible] MAKE NEW HIGH GROUND FOR THE MOVEMENT IN NEW YORK.

[illegible] Nervous Over Cold Weather Prospects—July Contracts Sell Up.

New York, May 12.—The cotton market developed considerable activity and strength after a comparatively tame morning session, and prices made new high ground for the movement, with the close steady, at a net advance of [illegible] points.

The market opened steady at an advance of 3 points to a decline of 1 point. Owing to the holiday, there were no cables from Liverpool, and the local trading here was quiet.

Reports of scattered showers in the belt had [illegible] over Sunday, and the official forecast for Monday for continued showers in most sections east of the Mississippi seemed to encourage some scattered selling, but general offerings were held in check by numerous private crop complaints and continued uncertainty as to the outlook for the cotton month situation, owing to further shipments from the local stock.

On the whole, prices showed little change until around midday, when the official weather reports began to come in. These confirmed private reports to some extent, but contained no general or striking precipitation in the eastern belt, such as many thought desirable, while they also showed unseasonably low temperatures with frost noted at some points in the Carolinas.

Subsequently there appeared to be some [illegible] as a result of the cold weather, some good bids of delayed performance, which had proved the signal for renewed support from trade houses in sympathy with the market weakness yesterday.

July sold up to 11.60, the best level reached for some days.

Buyers checked the advance and brought a moderate reaction late in the afternoon.

Liquidation still seems for business transacted, but will be closed again Friday and Saturday.

New Orleans.

New Orleans, May 12.—Cotton opened steady, [illegible] points up on July, but the other month unchanged and in the afternoon a good call developed this branch, and by a steady demand, which was based on the low temperatures in the central belt, which were the coldest and made no further effort to force the advance. Buyers were encouraged by the appearance of rains in the eastern belt, but were cautious because of talk of cold weather.

The opening was steady at a decline of 3 to 4 points on the day over Monday in the August option. Toward the middle of the morning the market stood 3 to 6 down, which was the low level of the day.

A little later buying orders increased on the decided weather reports showing an average temperature of 40 in the cotton belt, which [illegible] of cold.

In the afternoon the market went 8 to 9 points over the level of Saturday's last quotation. The close was steady at a net rise of 6 to 8 points.

SPOTS.

Galveston.

Galveston, May 12.—Spot cotton closed strong, 1-16c up. Sales spot 550; f. o. b. none. Stock 116,044. Receipts 2044.

Low ordinary	9 15-16
Ordinary	9 15-16
Good ordinary	10 1-16
Low middling	11 1-16
Middling	11 3-16
Good middling	11 9-16
Middling fair	12 13-16

Houston.

Houston, May 12.—The spot market closed steady, 1-16 up. Sales 300; f. o. b. none. Receipts 1002. Stock 84,422.

Low ordinary	9 7-8
Ordinary	9 15-16
Low middling	11 1-16
Middling	11 3-16
Good middling	11 9-16
Middling fair	12 13-16

Net receipts 2,215.

New York.

New York, May 12.—Cotton spots closed quiet; middling uplands 12.20; middling gulf 12.35. Sales 60.

Futures.

Houston, Texas, May 12.—Cotton spot closed steady, middling 12¾.

FUTURES.

New York.

New York, May 12.—Cotton futures closed steady.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	11.07	11.13	11.07	11.13
[illegible]	11.20	11.29	11.20	11.28
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	11.03
[illegible]	11.02	11.03	11.02	11.03
[illegible]	11.02	11.03	11.02	11.03
[illegible]	11.01	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	11.02	11.12	11.02	11.07
[illegible]	11.02	11.10	11.02	11.07

New Orleans.

New Orleans, May 12.—Cotton futures closed steady at a net advance of [illegible] points.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	11.00
[illegible]	11.18	11.20	11.04	11.11
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	12.13
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	12.00
[illegible]	11.00	11.12	11.00	11.07
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	11.00
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	11.00
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	11.12
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	11.12

OATS STORM CENTER

SPECULATIVE INTEREST IS FOCUSED ON THAT CEREAL IN CHICAGO.

Unfavorable Reports the Cause—Wheat Finishes Up and Corn Prices Vary.

Chicago, May 12.—The speculative storm center in grain today moved to the oats trade.

A decided flurry resulted from serious reports that the oats crop in the best parts of Indiana and Illinois had received an unthrifty start.

Despite some reaction, oats closed at ⅛ to ⅜c net advance. Wheat finished ⅛ to ⅛c off to ⅛c up; corn varied from 1-16c down to ⅛ to ⅜c gain, and provisions showed an upturn of a shade to 15¾c.

There was a big trade in oats and shorts in all deliveries were badly squeezed.

It was an old-fashioned bull market, everybody in the pit seemingly possessed with a belief that prices would go skyward.

The May option led the advance. Heated shorts in that delivery quickly run the cost up to ⅞c a bushel before they could induce offerings at all.

Wheat advanced with oats because of a bullish outlook regarding the visible supply. The decrease in the latter, however, was disappointing as compared with last year. Besides, today's arrivals at the terminals were on an almost after-harvest basis.

Pressure also resulted from bearish crop estimates in Oklahoma and elsewhere, so there was an easy feeling at the close, because of the uncertainty regarding farmers who were said to be withholding reserves of corn.

A consequent advance in corn checked eastern demand and subsequently brought about a material set back from top figures.

Notwithstanding larger receipts of hogs, prices for provisions averaged higher.

The market was chiefly affected by the strength of grain.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Clos.
Wheat—				
May	89⅝	89⅝	89⅝	89⅝
July	89⅝	89⅝	89⅝	89⅝
Sept.	89⅝	90	89⅝	89⅝
Corn—				
May	[illegible]	56⅝	[illegible]	56⅝
July	[illegible]	56⅝	[illegible]	56⅝
Sept.	57⅝	57⅝	57	57⅝
Oats—				
May	37⅝	38	36⅝	37⅝
July	35⅝	36⅝	35⅝	36⅝
Sept.	35⅝	36⅝	35⅝	36
Pork—				
May	19.85	19.40	19.32½	19.37½
July	19.30	19.37½	19.17½	19.35
Sept.	19.02½	19.05	18.90	19.05
Lard—				
May	10.87½	10.90	10.85	10.90
July	10.75	10.77½	10.72½	10.77½
Sept.	10.77½	10.82½	10.77½	10.82½
Ribs—				
May	11.60	11.62½	11.57½	11.62½
July	10.95	11.02½	10.95	11.02½
Sept.	10.92½	10.99	10.92½	10.99

Kansas City.

Kansas City, May 12.—Cash wheat: No. 2 hard 89@92½c; No. 3 red 91@92c. Corn, No. 2 mixed 55½@56c; No. 3 white 56½c. Oats, No. 2 white 37@37½c; No. 3 mixed 35@35½c.

Close: Wheat, May 94½c; July 88½c; September 89½c. Corn, May 57½@57½c; July 55½@55½c; September 55½c. Oats, May 35½c; July 35½c.

St. Louis.

St. Louis, May 12.—Cash wheat: No. 2 red $1.03½@1.05; No. 3 hard 90@92½c. Corn, No. 2 55c; No. 3 white 51@52c. Oats, No. 2 36½@37c; No. 3 white 36c.

LIVESTOCK.

Fort Worth.

Fort Worth, May 12.—Plenty of cattle came on hand Monday but with every [illegible] getting half the trade the market held to a steady level on all classes and a fair amount of activity was displayed.

Beef steers sold on a steady basis at a natural range of $6 to $8.60. Nothing of a choice sort was here and the half way decent grades were scarce. Nothing was due to bring more than $8.75. Butcher steers cleared on a steady level at a spread of $5.60 to $8.25. Stockers, feeders, heifers and calves were in good request and steady.

Hogs were active but generally a nickel lower. A small bunch brought in by the Waco route notched $.50 and earlier lots sold at $9.60 to $9.65.

Sheep were slow and barely steady with [illegible] on hand.

Cattle receipts 7,000, including 1500 through. Beef steers steady $6.50@8.75; butchers cows steady $4.50@6.25; canners steady $4.00@4.50; bulls steady $4.00@5.50. Calves, receipts 500, market steady, $5.50@8.50.

Hogs receipts 1500; market lower, top $9.65; bulk $9.40@9.65.

Sheep receipts 3,000, slow, steady.

Kansas City.

Kansas City, May 12.—Cattle receipts 6000, including 1500 southerns; market steady to strong; dressed beef and export steers $7.50@8.75, southern steers $6.50@7.85, cows $3.50@10.00. Hog receipts 12000; market steady; bulk of sales $9.35@9.55, heavy $9.40@9.65, packers and packers $9.30@9.65, light $9.30@9.60, pigs $7@7.85. Sheep receipts 11,000; market steady to 25 cents lower. Colorado lambs $8.75@9.25, yearlings $6@7.50, wethers $6.25@6.75, ewes $5@6.50.

St. Louis.

St. Louis, May 12.—Cattle receipts 4000 including 700 Texans; market was steady; choice to fancy steers $8.50@9.00, good to choice steers $7@8.40, dressed beef and export steers $6.75@7.85, stockers $6.25@8.25, native cows $4@8.25, Texas grass $7.50@8.00, cows and heifers $4@7.25.

Hog receipts 6000; market lower; pigs and lights $7@9.65, mixed and butchers $9.35@9.65, heavy $9.25@9.65.

Sheep receipts 2000; market steady; muttons $5@7.50, yearlings $7@8.50, lambs $7@8.25.

Chicago.

Chicago, May 12.—Receipts of hogs 14,000; market closed strong; bulk of sales $9.37½@9.60, light $9.35@9.65, mixed $9.30@9.65, heavy $9.40@9.65, rough $9.30@9.40, pigs $8.40@9.25.

Cattle receipts 600; market steady; beeves $5@8.25, Texas steers $6.25@7.75, western steers $6.75@8.25, stockers and feeders $6.25@8.25, cows and heifers $3.50@8.25, calves $4@9.50.

Sheep receipts 17,000; best lambs and wethers steady, others generally 25@50c lower, ewes mostly 25@50c lower, yearlings $7.40@8.60.

STOCKS ARE LIFELESS

ONLY 32,000 SHARES ARE TRADED IN DURING THE FIRST HOUR.

Pressure Is Instituted Against the Coalers—Jersey Central Drops 24 Points.

New York, May 12.—Except for a bear drive which enlivened trading for a time in the early afternoon, the stock market today was lifeless.

Business in the first hour, usually the most active of the day, amounted to only 32,000 shares, which gave promise of the smallest day's trading of the year, but in half an hour's active selling later the total was increased largely. Although a majority of the prominent stocks showed only fractional losses, nearly a score of new low records for the year were established and losses established by particular incidents were down in substantial amount.

There was pressure against the coalers following the reports that further action would be taken under the anti-trust law against coal carrying companies.

Jersey Central, which fell 24 points to 206, was the weakest of these issues.

The sugar stocks were heavy, selling being influenced apparently by the reports of the probable action on the schedule in the new tariff. A number of specialties fell from 1 to 5 points. Bear traders attempted to force down steel on the strength of the unexpectedly poor showing made by the monthly tonnage figures, but the stock held up well.

The indication of a falling off in the steel trade contained in the tonnage figures was supplemented by reports of increasing activity in other lines of business.

Although speculative sentiment was depressed, no determined effort was made to force down the list, while a chance remained that the supreme court might hand down a decision today in the rate case.

When word came that the court had adjourned for two weeks without a decision of interest to Wall street, bears felt more secure in attacking the list.

Bonds were easy; sales $1,140,000, par value.

United States bonds unchanged on call.

POULTRY, BUTTER AND EGGS.

St. Louis.

St. Louis, May 12.—Poultry, chickens 14c; springs 23@30c; turkeys 16c; ducks 12c; geese 7c. Butter, creamery 24@26c. Eggs 17c.

Cincinnati.

Cincinnati, May 12.—Eggs firm; prime firsts 19c; firsts 16@18c, seconds 15½. Poultry, steady; springs, light 20@25c, heavy 20@25c, hens 16c, turkeys 14c.

Chicago.

Chicago, May 12.—Butter steady, creamery 25@27½c; eggs firm, receipts 51,277; firsts 18c. Potatoes steady unchanged, receipts 105. Poultry steady, chickens, alive 16c; springs alive 16c.

Kansas City.

Kansas City, May 12.—Butter, creamery, 26c; firsts 25c; seconds, 24c; packing stock 21. Eggs, firsts 18@21; seconds 14. poultry, hens 14; roosters 9; ducks 15.

New York.

New York, May 12.—Eggs, firm, receipts 19,056, fresh gathered extras 22@22½c.

Sugar.

New York, May 12.—Raw sugar quiet; Muscovado $2.22@2.26; centrifugal $3.23@3.26; molasses $2.53@2.61. Refined steady; crushed $5.05; fine granulated $4.35; powdered $4.45. Petroleum steady; refined, New York bulk, $8.50; cases, $10.50. Molasses steady; New Orleans open kettle 35@55c. Hides quiet; Bogota 28½@29½c; Central American 28½c. Leather steady; hemlock firsts 28@29c; seconds 27@28c.

MONEY MARKET.

New York.

New York, May 12.—Money on call 2½@3 per cent; ruling rate and closing bid 3%; offered at 3% per cent. Time loans easier; sixty days 3¾@4 per cent; ninety days 3¾@4 per cent; six months 4½ per cent.

Mercantile Paper.

New York, May 12.—Close: Prime mercantile paper steady, 5@5½ per cent. Sterling exchange steady, with actual business in bankers' bills at 4.82.75 for sixty day bills and 4.80 for ninety days. Bar silver 60⅝c. Mexican dollars 46c. Government and railroad bonds steady.

Money on call steady, 2½@3; ruling rate and closing bid 3%; offered at 3 per cent. Time loans easier; sixty days 3½@4 per cent; ninety days 3¾@4 per cent.

COTTON SEED PRODUCTS.

New York.

New York, May 12.—Cotton seed oil was quiet and featureless, closing practically unchanged from Saturday. Sales, 500 barrels. Prime crude 36 nominal; prime summer yellow spot 36.25@7.40, May 36.25, June 36.34, July 36.38, August 37.01, September 37.08, October 36.80, November 36.46, December 36.50. Prime yellow winter and summer white, $7@7.50.

Memphis.

Memphis, Tenn., May 12.—Cotton seed products, prime basis oil 36.10; meal $30.50; linters 3 3-4@3 9-4c.

Coffee Exchange to Close.

New York, May 12.—The coffee exchange will be closed Decoration day and the Saturday following.

Accused of Murder.

Palestine, May 12.—E. C. Weeden was taken from a train here and held on instructions from Texas City, charging him with the murder of a fellow soldier. He denies his guilt and says his home is in Detroit, and that he was honorably discharged from the United States army.

[illegible] YEARS PASSED.

[illegible] to call your attention to our Boston Blood Purifier. Bring your attention from our Only Blood [illegible] Co., of Wholesale Prices.

AMONG WHOLESALERS

GOOD REPORTS FROM ALL OVER THE TRADE TERRITORY CAUSES SMILES.

Waco Retailers and Consumers Are Ready to Buy Any Good Thing Offered.

There was no let-down to the spirit of good feeling in business circles yesterday.

All reports from farming districts are very flattering and a general lack of complaint the country over gives wholesalers no room for frowns.

In fact, the smile has become a fixed thing on their faces and it will take more than what is in sight to wear that smile off.

Waco wholesalers feel they are keeping well up with the procession of business operations of the South.

They feel now the reward for the great work they've done to put Waco on the map as a distributing centre is coming back to them, and, once gained, they may be trusted never to relinquish the advantage.

Among the produce concerns all seem well stocked with everything obtainable.

Fresh California cherries, as pretty fruit as ever seen, are in evidence all over town. They are worth $3.00 per box, and are selling well. Waco consumers will buy any good thing offered.

New potatoes are somewhat scarce, but full stocks are looked for next week.

The following quotations will prevail for the week:

Pineapples—	
24s, 30s, 36s to Crate	$3.50
Texas Bermuda Onions—	
Crates	1.00
California Sweet Oranges—	
All sizes, per box	4.25
Lemons—	
Messinas, extra fancy, 300s	7.00
Limes—	
Per basket	1.35
Bananas—	
Per pound	.04
Cocoanuts—	
Each	.05
Vegetables—	
Texas green cabbage, lb.	.01½
Peas, per 1-2 bushel	1.00
Flat green beans, hampers	4.00
Flat green beans, 1-2 boxes	1.50
Rutabagas, per lb.	.01½
Texas new pots, hampers	2.75
Texas new pots, sacks, bushel	2.75
Strawberries—	
Per crate	2.25
Greeley Potatoes—	
Per bushel	.80
Idaho Potatoes—	
Fancy white, per bushel	.80
Seed Potatoes—	
Maine Triumphs, per bushel	.75
Tennessee Triumphs, per bu.	.75
Washington Apples—	
Extra fancy Winesaps, 4½ tr.	2.00
Fancy Winesaps, 4½ tr.	1.75
Fancy Idaho Ben Davis—	
110 to the box	1.50
123 to the box	1.25
175 to the box	1.15
Colorado Apples—	
Fancy red Ganos	1.50
ancy onathans	1.75
Fancy Ben Davis	1.25
Choice Ben Davis	1.10
Pecans—	
Standard, per lb.	.10
Medium, per lb.	.16
Large, per lb.	.20
Nuts, New Crop—	
Filberts, per lb.	.10
Large Brazil Nuts, lb.	.12½
Walnuts, per lb.	.18
Peanuts—	
Extra large Jumbo	.08½
Popcorn, shelled—	
Per pound, sacks	.06
Cranberries—	
Per pound	.12
Cheese—	
Per pound	.17½
Monkey Popcorn—	
100s to case	3.50
Fan Popcorn—	
100s to case	3.50

Among the out-of-town merchants visiting the various wholesale concerns of the city yesterday may be mentioned:

Tom Padgitt Co.—John Washington of Bosqueville.

Waco Drug Co.—Mr. Wharton of Wharton & McGuffey at Hubbard City.

C. H. Cox & Co.—W. S. Spurlin of Mart.

Retan Grocery Co.—J. W. Howard of Mart, and M. F. Morgan of Bosqueville.

Rehrens Drug Co.—W. L. Koen of Native; S. F. Bond of Cross Plains and Mr. Gruber of the Mart Drug Co., at Mart.

Taylor-Hanna-James Co.—L. A. Johnson of Elk and Will Davis of China Springs.

Turner-Coffield Co.—C. W. McCown of Whitney; Nick Telles of Norwood, and J. M. Thomas of Bosqueville.

Hamilton-Turner Grocery Co.—J. G. Carroll of Battle; M. T. Presnall of China Springs; C. F. Lynch of Concord, and R. L. Tubbs, of Tubbs & Son at Crawford.

Herrick Hardware Co.—J. H. Reynolds of Mount Calm; B. F. Thompson of Mexia; N. Gunnesmann of Levi; W. C. Cook of Mart; Mr. Royalty of Matthews & Royalty at Gatesville, and W. F. Scoloff of Mart.

Cooper Grocery Co.—T. W. McCown of Whitney; R. G. Peacock of Highbank; J. A. Webb of Downsville; I. Mathis of Bosqueville; C. F. Lynch of Concord; C. A. Milam of Glen Rose; W. L. Wright of Lorena, and Nicholas Telles of Norwood.

McLendon Hardware Co.—F. H. Miller of Riesel; C. H. Pattler of Valley Mills; John Franke of Lincoln; A. J. Wilder of Heidenheimer; Gus Farris of Clifton; D. D. Fairchilds of Taylor; J. O. Dunegan of Wooten Wells; B. F. Thompson of Mexia, and W. L. Murphy of the Campbell-Root Lumber Co., at Kilgore.

Sanger Bros.—Mr. Dunegan, buying for Dunegan & Son, Wooten Wells; J. W. Peters and wife of The Grove; Mr. Kirby, buying for A. S. Forrester & Co., Retan, and Walter Johnson of Moody.

Surrenders in Murder Case.

Martin, May 12.—Tom Wyers, fifth man wanted in connection with the killing of John Bishop Saturday night, surrendered today. Dick Wyers, Bud Reed, Clyde and Seaver Beatty all are in jail. The killing is said to be another chapter in a long family feud.

Mrs. M. J. Loftus Dead.

Sherman, May 12.—Mrs. M. J. Loftus, wife of the general superintendent of the Texas Traction company, died suddenly this morning. She will be buried Tuesday.

IN THE LOCAL COURTS

CRIMINAL DOCKET IN COUNTY COURT BEGINS IN TWO WEEKS.

Cases Have Been Set—Judge Denton Spends the Day With County Commissioners.

Assistant County Attorney Howell Taylor who has been in charge of the prosecution for the state in county cases, yesterday completed the setting of the criminal docket which begins Monday, May 26, and runs throughout the week. During this week of court a number of alleged violations of the whiskey laws of the state are to be tried. Also a heavy docket in all manner of criminal cases is booked.

No session of county court was held yesterday, Judge George N. Denton being engaged with commissioners' court all day. His attention will also be directed towards the commissioners' work today. Two dismissals were recorded in the court yesterday. These were of minor character.

FIFTY-FOURTH DISTRICT COURT.

Richard I. Munroe, Judge.
R. V. McClain, Clerk.

Suit of Crate Dalton vs. Alliance Insurance company, on insurance policy for $5,000 continues on trial.

NINETEENTH DISTRICT COURT.

Tom L. McCullough, Judge.
R. V. McClain, Clerk.

No session of court held. Jury excused until Tuesday morning.

COUNTY COURT.

George N. Denton, Judge.
J. W. Baker, Clerk.

Andrew Ryols, pistol, dismissed.

Eddie Peters, disturbing religious worship, dismissed.

PROBATE COURT.

George N. Denton, Judge.
J. W. Baker, Clerk.

Estate of Nannie B. Graham, minor. May L. Graham, guardian, inventory and appraisement and bond and oath examined and approved.

Complaints Filed.

The following complaints were filed in county court yesterday:

Moure Miller, pistol.

Wesley Harper, theft of two pair of trousers from W. L. McMillan, valued at $3.

G. Headro and John Martres, theft of two show cases from J. L. Roane, value $5 each.

Jack McLendon, embezzlement of $2.50 from R. T. Alexander, for whom he worked.

JUSTICE COURTS.

J. J. Padgett, Judge.

Frank Martinez, drunk, $20.30.
Francisco Madero, drunk, $20.30.
S. Donaldson, drunk, $15.30.
Mike Beral, disturbing peace, $15.30.
Alex Alexander, negro, drunk, $15.30.
Collins Taylor, vagrancy, $13.55.
Emanuel Walker, disturbing peace, $14.55.

Harvey M. Richey, Judge.

Billie Divine, drunk, $14.55.
Milazo, a Mexican, drunk, $14.55.
Will Barnes, drunk, $14.55.
Jim Fisher, drunk, $14.55.

SUITS FILED.

Justice Richey's Court.

E. L. Humphrey vs. Will Dennueke, forcible detainer.

Justice Padgett's Court.

Hill Bros. Co. vs. W. J. Lee, account.

Hill Bros. Co. vs. C. R. Curry, garnishment.

E. D. Russell vs. Mrs. Samuel Pate, forcible detainer.

Marriage Licenses.

Demont Hay and Gertrude Hawkins.

B. Penrod and Miss Allie Mae Lewis.

C. F. DeVaughan and Miss Louise Lane.

Sam Thompson and Mrs. Violette Martin.

Automobile Licenses.

T. S. Jarrard, Mart, 4 cylinder, 30 horse power Studebaker.

Seth Ward, Waco, 4 cylinder, 30 horse power Ford.

A. M. Humberson, China Springs, 2 cylinder, 18 horse power Maxwell.

F. W. Pietzsch, Crawford, 2 cylinder, 18 horse power Maxwell.

J. A. Craven, Waco, 4 cylinder, 35 horse power Studebaker.

H. W. Hubby, Waco, 4 cylinder, 30 horse power Chalmers.

K. OF P. AT CORPUS CHRISTI.

1,000 Have Arrived for the 14th Annual Grand Lodge.

Corpus Christi, May 12.—About a thousand visitors are here for the fourteenth annual grand lodge of Texas Knights of Pythias.

A special train arrived this morning from Dallas and Fort Worth, with 400 delegates and the state grand officers.

The convention does not open until Tuesday morning.

Visitors are being entertained with trolley and automobile rides today. The sessions will continue until Thursday night.

Fort Worth and Temple are after the convention next year.

To Exchange—Real Estate.

1. Three beautiful south front lots on Fort avenue for $3,750. A real bargain.

2. Two south front Herring avenue lots, near North Fifth street, for $3,250; easy terms.

3. $2,450 buys a good five room bungalow, practically new, and near car line; all modern conveniences; near Waco Vista, $600 cash, balance arranged.

4. We have a few Farwell Heights snaps. Better buy now before the new school is started. They will advance 20 per cent within six months. Phone us, it is a pleasure to show you.

WILIE & CARPENTER,
903 Amicable Bldg. Phones 2323.

LET US TELL YOU about 100 feet on Franklin S. that is in line for quick profit.

We have a very modern bungalow on a 75-foot lot on N. Fifth St. for $4000.

Out in northwest part of city a 100-foot south front lot; one of the best two-story homes in Waco, bar none. This place is modern and worth $10,000. We have a price that is interesting.

STAMPP & EICHELBERGER,
401 Amicable, phones 1792.

For Sale—Real Estate.

A LOT in the Davis Addition will make you a sure and quick profit. New homes being built every day. This property is within walking distance from town. Terms $10 down and $10 per month. No interest or taxes for two years. T. E. Leach, new phone 2091, old phone 891; 113 S. Fifth St.

A REAL BARGAIN—TWELVE (12) LOTS ON FARWELL HEIGHTS WITH ONE THOUSAND DOLLARS WORTH OF IMPROVEMENTS FOR ONLY $2,850. THIS PROPOSITION CANNOT BE DUPLICATED, SO SEE US AT ONCE. CRAVEN REALTY CO., 704 AMICABLE.

BUILD your home on the interurban. Do not neglect your opportunity to get a two or five-acre tract at $500 or $950. Easy terms. Call T. D. Mergler, 301 Amicable, either phone 2342.

SPECIAL BARGAIN—New, soundly-built cottage, 1½ blocks from Sanger Ave. car, all conveniences; sidewalks, trees, etc. Place well worth $3250, but will cut price sharply for prompt sale; $350 cash will handle; balance easy. This is someone's bargain. Make me an offer. George V. Rotan, 303 Amicable.

COKE, HORNE AND CO., real estate and general insurance, 601 Amicable Bldg., New phone 1215.

ARE YOU looking for a home? We have a complete list of choice lots on Farwell Heights, Provident Heights and West End addition, all high and beautiful, that we can give you your choice of all with a payment of just ten per cent down we can build you a home to suit, built by your own plans, and instead of having a collection of rent receipts in a few years you will own your own home. If a proposition of this kind appeals to you call at our office and let us go over our plan. Craven Realty Co., 704 Amicable.

INTERURBAN LAND—In large or small tracts; phone me for engagement. C. C. Shumway, phones 776.

FOR SALE—Some good office furniture, including first class safe, a new letter file, an insurance cabinet, a five-foot standing desk, a handsome davenport. Charles S. Davis, new 896, old 306.

TWO STORY house on south side, 8 rooms, price $3,750. Take some trade. Ben F. Dancer & Co.

A CHANCE TO GET A SNUG LITTLE HOME, LOCATED JUST FOUR BLOCKS FROM BAYLOR UNIVERSITY. WE CAN OFFER YOU A CHOICE LITTLE FOUR ROOM COTTAGE FOR ONLY $1,500, $300 CASH BALANCE EASY TERMS. CRAVEN REALTY CO., 704 AMICABLE.

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1000 acres in Taylor county for merchandise.

$5000 hotel, furnished, for land.

$100,000. Oklahoma hotel, furnished, clear, for land.

$3000. Racket stock for land.

$20,000 Hill county improved land for Waco property.

$15,000 residence on Washington street for smaller residence.

BARGAIN SALES.

$1000. Residence on James street.

$2300. Residence on North 22d St.

$2500. New residence on North 13th street.

$2500. Close-in residence on North Ninth St.

If you are from Missouri, we can show you.

JOHNSON-SHARPE REALTY CO.
25 Provident Bldg.

FOR SALE—Only one modern bungalow left for sale on Herring avenue; easy terms, paving practically guaranteed. T. G. Garrett.

DO NOT FORGET that we can sell or trade you vacant lots in any part of Waco. Johnson-Sharpe Realty Co., 25 Provident Bldg.

For Sale—Real Estate.

FOR SALE—7-room 2-story house—lights, gas, cement walks, south front, close to Sanger Ave. school; special price $2500. C. C. Shumway, 1404 Amicable, phones 776.

FOR SALE—Snap; 4 houses and one lot, close to business property. Special price $2250. C. C. Shumway, 1404 Amicable, phones 776.

FOR SALE—One of the best lots in Huaco Heights addition, on car line, just beyond the Huaco club; will sell on easy terms of $1 a week, with a small cash payment. Address A. S. P., care News.

A NICE piece of inside property for sale at $100 per foot. Call Ben F. Dancer & Co., either phone 27, Amicable Building.

CRAVEN REALTY CO.,
Home Builders,
704 Amicable Bldg.,
New Phone 489. Old Phone 719.

BURLESON REAL ESTATE CO.
Wholesole and Retail Dealers in
FARMS, RANCHES AND CITY PROPERTY.

Some of our large wholesale deals:

1—28,000 acres Terrell Co., $1.10 acre.
2—Large tract old Mexico land, 40c acre.
3—Gulf coast lands, $5 up.
4—8000 acres land Lampasas Co., $6.
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8—Fine ranch 9000 acres, $5.50.
9—2000 acres Lamar Co., special price.
10—1000 acres black land, $40.
11—Large improved farm, small payment and easy terms gets complete outfit.
12—640 acres black land, Tarrant Co., $50.
13—2500 acres near Fort Worth $65.
14—Large stock farm, well improved, about 35 miles from Waco; big bargain in trade for a cotton farm.
15—7500 acres East Texas timber land.
16—3500-acre East Texas farm, 1500 acres in cultivation; all well improved and located near good railroad town, $13.50. Splendid bargain.
17—$75,000 brick building, will trade for land at right price.

We have a large list of good propositions for sale or trade. We make a specialty of big deals and can handle any kind of proposition; successfully "pulling off" a deal aggregating $260,000 last year shows we can deliver the goods. And it was an easier task to make that big deal than many lot deals we get. We want your favors.

BURLESON REAL ESTATE CO.,
124 North Fourth, new phone 2420.
Old phone 909.

BEAUTIFUL LOTS.
High Class Property—Every Foot of It.

You will agree with me when you look.

50-foot lot, Parrott avenue, car, gas, sewer, artesian water, south front, for $1,050. Can you beat it?

150 feet Colcord, sewer, gas, artesian water, $4,500.

100 feet corner Thirteenth and Washington; can sell at once, $12,500. You had better see me at once. Exclusive.

55½x200, south front, close in, on car, fine location. It's high, level and pretty, swell home site, $2,500.

75 feet Colcord avenue, gas, sewer, artesian water, $2,000.

100 feet, south front, Herring avenue, close in, near Waco Vista, $1,800.

75 feet, Parrott avenue, sewer, gas, artesian water, car, $1,500.

50 feet south front, Herring avenue, fine value, $1,000.

5 lots, car line, Provident Heights, all for $2,750; must have half cash; you will have to hurry.

100 feet Homan avenue, one block to car, sewer, gas, water, $1,200.

50 feet south front lot, Mitchell street, near Waco Vista, $650; takes $250 cash to handle.

You will say they are all good values.

R. A. M'KINNEY,
514 Amicable.
New Phone 265. Old Phone 604.

TO EXCHANGE for good buggy horse or milk cow, $150 equity in two beautiful lots. J. B. Woody, Royal Hotel.

For Sale—Real Estate.

MOORE & MOORE
115 South 4th Street.
Phones 906.
Real Estate and Insurance.

We are offering a limited number of high-class lots in UNIVERSITY HEIGHTS at very reasonable prices, and on special terms for a short time.

We have several attractive bargains in business property on Austin and Franklin streets.

We have some trackage that will show big profit in short time.

We are the "Bargain Hunters." See us if interested in Waco property.

MOORE & MOORE.

HOUSTON, TEXAS—THE NEXT GREAT CITY.

The Metropolis of the South, the Land of Opportunities, United States government now building ship channel. Highland Park-on-the-Intrurban Suburban addition, 28 minutes from Houston's great business center. Lots 50 x 100 feet, $75—$2 cash, $2 monthly. Every lot a perfect homesite, high and well drained. Free illustrated literature. G. W. Martin, owner, 337 First National Bank Bldg., Houston, Texas.

FOR SALE—MY HOME PLACE, EIGHT ROOMS, MODERN, NEWLY BUILT, 90 X 165 FEET; HIGH TERRACED LAWN; LARGE SHADE TREES; STABLE; SERVANT QUARTERS; SPACIOUS SUMMER PORCH FACING SOUTH AND EAST. BARGAIN, IF SOLD AT ONCE. FIFTEENTH AND BARRON. J. I. NAMAN.

HOME HUNTER—Will let contract for five-room residence on car and North Twelfth St., east front, this week. Come and I will build to suit you. Charles S. Davis, 305 Amicable.

FOR SALE cheap, if you buy at once, easy terms, four five-room bungalows; bath, electric lights and screened sleeping porch; one block outside city limits, on Turner street, East Side. This is a bargain; buy now before the street car comes; cars to pass the door; will be taken inside city limits in a short while; will be worth twice their present value. Apply C. D. Foster, Southern Traction Co., or 1103 Turner street. New phone 1339.

THE HOME INVESTMENT CO. of Dallas, Tex., has the best plan to make you the owner of your own home. Investigate our 5 per cent real estate loans. W. P. Meroney, 1512 Amicable.

FOR SALE—If you want to buy a residence at what you yourself would consider a bargain, let us show you what we have. Call us over either phone. Marshall, Neblett Zizinia.

FOR TRADE—Brand new 7-passenger high-grade automobile for real estate of high class, bank of trust company stock, or vendors' lien notes. Box 638, old phone 74, new 75

FOR SALE—Fine horse and buggy cheap for cash. J. B. Woody, Royal Hotel.

TO EXCHANGE for other property, 40 acres fine truck land. J. B. Woody, Royal Hotel.

FOR SALE—75 acres of fine dark, rich land at $75 per acre; edge of good town, all in cultivation; might trade for city property. Phones 74 old, 75 new.

HAVE client who will trade some good property for diamonds. J. B. Woody, Royal Hotel.

FOR SALE—A lovely home within half block of Sul Ross park; four rooms, hall, bath, back porch screened, large servants' house, gas, sewerage, lights, nice fruit and shade trees. This place is ordered sold to close an estate at the bargain price of only $2,500, terms one-fourth cash, balance one to four years. Get busy before I sell it. Geo. M. Knebel, 706 Amicable Bldg., phones, new 832, old 1185.

FOR SALE—Are you going to build a first class home? If so buy this lot, on North Fifteenth street, between Jefferson and Barron streets, east front, cement walks, curbing, nice lawn, water pipes, sewerage connected, good servants' house, barn, on Provident Heights car line, close in, very best section of city; the only vacant lot to be had in this section; price $3,400. Geo. M. Knebel, exclusive agent for this property, 706 Amicable Bldg., phones, new 832, old 1185.

TO EXCHANGE as part payment on other property, good automobile. J. B. Woody, Royal Hotel.

A SMALL addition beyond Waco Vista on Primm Boulevard for sale. Ben F. Dancer & Co.

FOR SALE—Snap, 9-room, 2-story house, North 16th St., all conveniences. Can sell at a big sacrifice. C. C. Shumway, 1404 Amicable, phones 776.

LANDS FOR SALE—3000 acres black waxy and loam, 2000 fenced, 300 in cultivation; fine timber; $7 per acre.

1000 acres, one mile of railroad station, very fertile, good timber, $12.50 per acre.

600 acres, fronting on railroad; right at good station, 300 acres in cultivation; all good black land; some improvements; $30 per acre.

5000 acres, fenced and cross fenced, ¾ black waxy, $15,000; good improvements, including gin; 800 acres in cultivation; ½ tract in finest timber; $12.50 per acre.

All these lands about 150 miles east of Waco, where land is rapidly advancing in price at the present time. Charles S. Davis, 305 Amicable, Waco, Texas.

DEAN'S Addition lot 12, block 27; bargain at $900. Ring 1182.

TO EXCHANGE for automobile, nice house and two lots in [illegible], Texas, renting for $10 per month. J. B. Woody, Royal Hotel.

For Sale—Real Estate.

FOR SALE or trade, best paying picture show in town. Charles S. Davis, 305 Amicable.

FOR SALE—On corner lot, facing south, just two blocks from the car, with a nice little four-room cottage, just the thing for a man with small means, for only $1,700. Terms to suit your own convenience. Craven Realty Co., 704 Amicable.

FOR SALE—Fine truck place in Clyde, about half fruit, rest for truck; fine drinking water, also an excellent mineral well; moderate improvements, $7,000. 160 acre farm, Eastland county, can be bought for $2,500, $2000 cash, assume note $500. One section fine, smooth land, El Paso county, can be bought for $6,000 if you'll hurry. Mrs. Will A. Harper, Flat, Texas.

FOR SALE—1,200 acres of black prairie land in north part of McLennan county, all fenced and cross fenced, 300 acres in cultivation, 900 acres good agricultural land, no waste land, abundant water, well, windmill, six room dwelling with water and telephone in house, faces on public road and rural route; excellent community, with schools and churches near by, an ideal farm and ranch home proposition; price $30 per acre. Will consider from $5,000 to $10,000 in good trade; $10,000 cash. Chas. S. Davis, 305 Amicable, Waco, Texas.

A GOOD INVESTMENT—We have a choice piece of property on Austin street that is paying 9 per cent on what the investment would be, should you want a first class proposition on this street. Don't waste time phoning about this piece of property, but call at our office early Monday and let us show you. Craven Realty Co., 704 Amicable.

CALIFORNIA BUNGALOW
$3,300.

A 5-room bungalow with beautiful bath room, lighting fixtures, decorations, built in book cases and buffet. Level lot 50x165 feet at 1506 Lyle street, one block northwest of fire station. Open and on sale today. $350 cash, balance easy.

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BUILDING COMPANY.
709 Amicable Bldg. New Phone 797.

We bought too many lots in Huaco Heights and want to sell four of the most beautiful ones in the whole addition. These lots are increasing in price every day and we will sell you these on a small payment down and $1.00 a week. If you failed to get a choice lot when the addition was opened see these. The best speculation in Waco. Address "Lots," care Waco Morning News.

FOR SALE—One of the prettiest lots in Huaco Heights, on car line; will sell this week at a bargain; small cash payments; rest on terms of $1 a week. Address A. L., care News.

$4,500 EQUITY.

In 200 acres of fine Brazos bottom land, will trade for home or on a home. This land is worth $75 per acre, but will trade at $60. This is a rare bargain in McLennan county farms. See

J. B. WOODY,
Office Royal Hotel.

GOING TO BUILD?

Let us build you an up-to-date bungalow. It costs but little more than the imitations, and you will have something to be proud of. We have numerous plans and designs which we would be pleased to show you at any time. Whether you have all cash or desire part time we will be able to serve you and remember that the best is always the cheapest in the long run.

THE BUNGALOW BUILDERS,
709 Amicable Bldg. New phone 797

FOR SALE, by owner, a nice two-story residence, new, on corner of the best residence street in North part; 100x165; every modern convenience; block to car line; living room 15½x30; brick mantel, heavy mission fixtures, beam ceilings; dining room 15½x18, brick mantel, beam ceilings; kitchen 12x12; butler's pantry, large back porch, double stairway, large side porch, three large sleeping rooms, sleeping porch 11x28; bath 8x12; large closets and linen closet; large two-story barn, servant house, chicken house, fruit trees; will take in $6,000 to $8,000 unincumbered good city property. Who wants a nice house cheap? Address 514 Amicable.

TO EXCHANGE for town property, equity in Brazos bottom farm. J. B. Woody, Royal Hotel.

BARGAIN on Herring avenue; price $3,000. Ben F. Dancer & Co.

VACANT LOTS to trade for an automobile. Ben F. Dancer & Co.

WILL SELL large new 8-room residence or new modern 5-room bungalow for small cash payment, balance like rent. Old phone 74, new 75.

PROVIDENT HEIGHTS—3 lots, south front, close to car line, $[illegible] each. C. C. Shumway, 1404 Amicable, phones 776.

FIRE-PROOF STORE ROOMS FOR RENT—WE ARE NOW READY TO CLOSE LEASES ON [illegible] STORE ROOMS, WITH [illegible] GLASS FRONTS IN THE [illegible] SONIC TEMPLE, ALSO [illegible] LODGE [illegible] FOR [illegible] ANY [illegible]

For Sale—Real Estate.

FARM HOMES FOR SALE—Write for details. W. E. Gaither, [illegible], Tex.

AUSTIN avenue two story, bargain; bringing 8 per cent on $12,000; sell [illegible] small cash payment or trade smaller place. Address Box 638, 74 old phone; new 75.

BARGAIN—Giocchio lot; owner leaving town and advises me to sell his lot at once regardless of price. See me Monday for location and make me an offer. H. N. Fannin, with Peyton Randle & Co., 301 Amicable Bldg., phones 2342.

LOOK AT THE LOT—On car line, with sewer, gas, artesian water. Provident Heights, 50x165, $850 today—not tomorrow. R. A. McKinney, 514 Amicable. New 265; old 604.

ROOMING HOUSE bargain—A sure income of $100 to $150 per month. Small first payment in cash or trade, balance like rent. Large modern furnace heated house on two lots, located close in, on best car line. Income and terms will buy place for any one. At a bargain price. It will pay itself out. Ring us and talk it over.

SKINNER & CO.
3rd Floor, Amicable Bldg.
Old Phone 310.

FOR SALE—I have some special bargains in West End and Giocchio lots. If you are in the market, see me for prices. H. N. Fannin, with Peyton Randle & Co., 301 Amicable, phones 2342.

FOR SALE—A second-hand 26-horsepower electric motor for sale cheap by The Waco Morning News. Call 1182. It must be sold and the price will be a bargain.

FOR SALE—I have some of the best lots in Huaco Heights, listed with me for sale. If you want a home site, none better, get busy before they are higher. H. N. Fannin, with Peyton Randle & Co., phones 2342.

FOR SALE, CHEAP—New six-room house in Waco Vista; easy terms. New phone 1519R.

HOUSE on Bell's Hill for sale or will trade for an automobile. Ben F. Dancer & Co.

BUSINESS PROPERTY—2-story brick building on good paved street. Special price $12,500. C. C. Shumway, 1404 Amicable, phones 776.

FOR SALE—Just off North Fifth street on Sedwick avenue, we have a bran new five room bungalow, modern in every respect, with cement walks and every convenience for only $300 cash and balance just like rent. Phone for an engagement. Craven Realty Co., 704 Amicable.

RESULTS are sure to come if you advertise in the want columns of The Waco Morning News. Just phone 1182, and say "WANT AD" and then tell your wants to the Classified Man—he will do the rest.

THREE modern bungalows on Herring avenue, all modern conveniences; small cash payment down and balance on easy payments, like rent. T. G. Garrett, Room 11 Provident Bldg. New phone 904.

"No Matter What You Want"
See
The Denison Realty Co.
115½ S Fifth St.

FOR SALE—A nice new bungalow on Provident Heights; has five rooms and bath; floors hand dressed; in fact, is an ideal little home; might take in good lot on this. McDonald-Fenland Co., 614 Amicable. Phones, new 1742, old 606.

DO NOT FORGET that we can sell or trade residences in any part of Waco. Johnson-Sharpe Realty Co., 25 Provident Bldg.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—Have client who has large 9 or 10 room residence, close in on [illegible] paved street to exchange for equity in smaller place or vacant property; or will take small cash payment. This is excellent place to rent rooms at best prices and will pay itself out on terms offered. Address Box 638 or call phones 74 old, 75 new.

FOR SALE BY OWNER—Modern 5-room cottage on North Fifteenth street, on car line. Phone [illegible] new.

Stocks and Bonds.

STOCKS AND BONDS—We have buyers for the following stocks: Amicable, Southern Union, Western Casualty and Guaranty Insurance Co. of Dallas, Continental Trust company of Houston. List any bond or trust company stocks with us; we will get results. Moore & Moore.

WE WILL BUY or sell Amicable, American Home, Great Southern, Southland and Southern Union Life Insurance companies' stocks; also Republic Trust and Continental Trust companies. Stocks and bonds of all kinds bought and sold. William [illegible] King & Co., [illegible], Tex.

FOR SALE—At a bargain, [illegible] shares Southern Union Life stock and [illegible] shares [illegible] or will trade for Amicable Life. [illegible] D. S., care News.

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Situations Wanted.

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Agents Wanted.

[illegible]

For Rent—Rooms.

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For Rent—Houses or Flats.

BEN F. DANCER & CO.

[illegible]

Business Chances.

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Wanted.

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Miscellaneous.

[illegible] goods for sale. Apply [illegible]

FOR SALE—Restaurant in good location in best side business district. Address Restaurant, care Waco News.

FOR SALE—A good diamond at a sacrifice; need the money; answer quick if you want a bargain. Address Diamond, care News.

FOR SALE—All first and superior [illegible] bearing 6 per cent interest [illegible] in amounts as follows: 2, $500 each; 1, $750; 2, $1,000 each; 1, $1,[illegible]; 1, $2,000; 1, $3,000; 1, $4,000. For further particulars phone Bentley & [illegible]

MONEY COLLECTOR—Fine stamps on envelopes from all parts of the world at 50 per cent discount. Address J. J., care News.

SODA FOUNTAIN—We have made up [illegible] for prompt shipment 6, 8, 10, 12, 14, 16 and 20-foot latest tension, [illegible] system outfits, new and slightly used at a saving in price, on easy monthly payments. The Grossman Company, Inc., Dallas, Texas.

FOR SALE—One second-hand model [illegible] 4-passenger Overland, in perfect condition; fully tires. F. O. Arnold, [illegible] Austin, Old phone 560.

FOR SALE—A 7 horse power twin Excelsior, two weeks old, at bargain. New phone 1002.

FOR SALE—For the next ten days we will sell brand new 3-burner Perfection oil cook stoves with glass door oven for $13 cash. Fields Furniture Co., 210 South Third St., old phone 486.

FOR SALE—Plenty of new and second-hand refrigerators. Fields Furniture Co., 210 South Third St.

WATERMELONS—Sampled and delivered [illegible] Old Jackson Livery stable, both phones 38.

SOUND INSTRUMENTS—All standard makes, new, at less than wholesale; also second-hand and shopworn at bargain prices. Charles Shaver, director, new Bayley Band, Bayley University, new phone 800 or 1021 S Fifth.

SODA FOUNTAINS—We have made up ready for prompt shipment, 6, 8, 10 and 12, 14, 16, 20-foot latest tension [illegible] system outfits, new and slightly used, at a big saving in price. Get our special spring display terms; easy monthly payments. The Grossman Co., Dallas, Tex.

CITY MAPS for sale by W. H. Sears, 203 Amicable Bldg.

Professional.

Miss Cunningham, public stenographer; telephone 300.

MISS MINNIE OWENS, Public Stenographer, 1708 Amicable Bldg., 5 years' experience.

LAWYER, Russell E. Kingsbury, Amicable Bldg. Since 1901, phone 1208.

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PATENTS — The best place in the southwest for manufacturing patent machinery, novelties, models, patterns and dies. Russell Machine Company, Dallas.

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BAYLOR University, ideal place for summer music study. Mr. Schlumacher, musicologist, vice director, offers five specially valuable piano courses: 1, Training school for teachers; 2, Preparatory course for European study; 3, Training the ear before the eye; 4, Classes in interpretation for advanced students; 5, Daily harmony class (free); eight weeks term, June 9 to August 1. If interested write W. R. Schlumacher.

ATTEND WOOD'S BUSINESS COLLEGE. MORE BETTER. OPEN ALL YEAR. ALSO TEACH BY MAIL.

SHORTHAND SHORTHAND, best in the world, at Miller Business College. Half terms.

RESULTS are sure to come if you advertise in the want columns of The Waco Morning News. Just phone 1132, and say, "WANT AD" and then tell your wants to the Classified Man—he will do the rest.

Contracting.

LADDERS—All heights, materials, complete house lots delivered anywhere, carpenter, repairing, construction, all kinds. Estimates free. Robinson Ladder Co., Robinson, Texas.

"I'll Trade You."

WANTED to trade 2 lots in Parwell addition for good horse and wagon and receive difference. Old phone 1007.

FOR EXCHANGE—Nice new bungalow, has five rooms and bath, on corner, on driving south and east, will take first payment in good notes, but no good commercial. McDonald-Pendleton Co., 614 Amicable, phones new 1132, old 806.

WILL trade for stock, 240 acres of land in the state of Washington, ten miles to market and several hundred acres of divine black prairie land, 35 miles from Houston, Texas. H. B. Blaine, Houston, Texas.

I WILL TRADE you a good paying [illegible] located in a good North side town for a small cottage place in Waco. Email will inform about it. P. O. address Waco Morning [illegible]

TYPEWRITER will swap you new [illegible] for your old one. Just phone 1132.

WILL trade you an auto[illegible] [illegible] for city property or country home. N. [illegible]

Seeds and Plants.

CLOSING OUT SALE—For the next two weeks we will sell our best seedless roses at $1.00 per dozen while they last; peach trees at half price. We move back to the nursery after the 15th. The last cut for this season. Thompson Nursery.

Violet and daisy plants.
Hollyhock and sweet williams.
Perennial phlox and queen's wreath.
Mexican tuberose and cannas.
Monthly roses, lima plants and fine assortment, $2.00 per dozen.
Fifty-cent peach trees half price.
THOMPSON NURSERY.

WE have thirty thousand pounds of genuine straight seed White Milo Maize raised in the semi-arid west and can offer it as long as it lasts at ten pounds post paid $1.00, twenty pounds net postpaid $1.10; 100 pounds $4.25. Write for prices on genuine Dwarf Red Maize, Alfalfa Seed, Millet Seed, etc. M. Hornstein & Co., Clayton, N. M. The house that handles Western Crown Non-Irrigated Seed exclusively.

FOR SALE—Extra large 2-year-old roses, bearing age; peach, plum and pear trees;: very fine stock of evergreens, hedge plants and flowering shrubs. Thompson Nursery, next to Masonic Temple, Franklin St.

Special Notices.

NOTICE—Since returning to Waco I have opened my law offices on the 16th floor of the Amicable building. J. R. Yantis.

J. ALEX MOORE, shadow detective, graduate C. T. Ludwig's Detective Training School. At your service in all lines of secret work. Waco, Tex. Old phone 1997.

THE experience and practice is behind the "bear" who looks after the shoeing. Pat F. Hopkins, 115 So. 8th St., phones 671.

NOTICE—Hereafter O. P. Nagel of the Golden Rod Dairy will deliver milk to my customers. Richey Abernathy.

"THE BEST" in all kinds of repairing, painting, trimming and cleaning at Pat Hopkins' Shop on South Eighth street, phones 671.

THE Central Texas Mutual Benefit Association, Geo. A. Wilson, superintendent. Branch office 1071½ North Second street, Waco, Texas.

ALL doubts removed as to the quality and style of the job when painted at Pat Hopkins' Shop on South 8th St., both phones 671.

ANYONE desiring marriage is invited to write The Eventide Club, D. 16, Oakdale, Cal.

MISS OWENS, public stenographer, removed to 1708 Amicable, new phone 300.

WHEN your wheels need new rubber tires, come around to see us. We will put on Goodyear's Wing Tires. These are acknowledged the best, while our prices are not higher than other inferior grades. Herrick Hardware Co., north side Square.

VACUUM carpet cleaning; prices cut in two. Call Wilson's wagon, New phone 1001.

I CAN sell your hotel, rooming or boarding house. Ring new phone 1132 for personal interview. Wm. A. Burnett, 205 N. Fifth.

IF IT'S "quality" you want, "Uncle Pete" shoes on South Eighth street is the place to get it. Pat F. Hopkins, 115 South Eighth St., both phones 671.

DON'T FORGET the New Hathaway Hotel while in Waco. It is up-to-date. A. D. Adams, proprietor.

LET US CLEAN your rugs and carpets; Joe Davidson, the expert carpet cleaner, has eighteen years' experience in Waco. He makes old ones look like new.
WACO HARDWARE & FURNITURE COMPANY.
Old Phone 652. New phone 442.

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Has
The Boston Bowling Co.,
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IF YOUR clean plate your feet you don't like to run, bother down your home. Uncle Pete fits 'em up right. Pat F. Hopkins, 115 South Eighth St., both phones 671.

Rooms and Board.

FOR SALE—Texas, fresh Jersey heifer. 807 North Ninth street.

FINE clean room and board; everything strictly modern. Old phone 2000; new phone 2166; 900 Columbus.

ROOM and board for couple. 824 N. Ninth St.

ELEGANT furnished rooms, well arranged for families or single rooms, with board; pure artesian water. Close in. Dunlap's restaurant, 708 South Fourth St., both phones 678.

NOTICE—Sprinkling hours from 6 to 8 p. m.

Motorcycles, Bicycles and Supplies.

MOTORCYCLES, sidecars, bicycles, horns and rubber tires. Write for catalogue and prices. Dallas Rubber and Cycle Co., Dallas, Tex.

Shoe Repairing.

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Lost, Strayed or Stolen.

LOST—Bracelet in North Waco or on Bosqueville road; engraved M. H. L. Reward for return to Church Printing company, Masonic Temple building.

LOST—Small red morocco binder containing a book of subscription orders to Waco Morning News. Lost near Twelfth and Speight; finder will kindly notify News office.

LOST—If the boys who took two wheels off a broken buggy left at the old gravel pit on Connor and South 18th street will return same they will not be prosecuted. Waco Bottling Works.

FOUND—Inner tube of auto tire; same can be had at Morning News office by paying for this ad.

FOUND—A bunch of keys; owner can get same by calling at the News office and paying for this ad.

LOST—Left in sitting room at Sanger Bros., April 30, one diamond Elk pin, inclosed in wreath. Finder please return to 925 North Sixteenth street or phone 168 new phone, for reward.

LOST—Watch fob, with locket attached, with diamond in center of locket. Initials of A. L. on back; was lost between Morning News and 522 North Fourth St.; reward if returned to Albert Lipman, News Office.

LOST—Combination automobile tail lamp and number 1153 in Northwest Waco. Return to Mrs. N. E. Boggess, 1801 Barnard street. New phone 576.

Help Wanted—Male.

ELECTRICIANS will find congenial work in the navy at pay from $17.50 (under instruction) to $77 per month. Board, lodging, medical attendance and first outfit clothing free. Age 18 to 35. Inquire at Navy Recruiting Station, Postoffice Building, Waco, Texas, if you have some knowledge of the trade.

FIFTY colored laborers wanted on Mary street storm sewer, First and Mary.

WANTED—Light driving horse for board. Will keep in livery stable in town. Apply to J. A. Loughridge.

SALESMEN—Good side line; our advertising fans ready; season open; liberal commissions advanced; no trouble to carry and show. Write Winkler Advertising System, Nashville, Tenn.

WE want a few more ambitious, energetic young men to devote two months to our thorough auto course. International Auto School, 733½ East Houston St., San Antonio, Tex. Write for catalogue.

WANTED—Boys to sell Waco Morning News on streets before school each day; also extra boys on Sundays. Good money to good boys. Apply circulation department News.

WANTED—Two neat appearing young men to work on trains. "Good pay. Apply the Union News Co., Katy Depot.

Wanted.

WANTED—To buy good pug dog. Address Mr. H. C. Chamberlin, or ring either phone No. 6.

WANTED—To rent a furnished house in north part of town. Ring Wm. S. Gillespie, Independent 137.

WANTED—To rent a 7, 8 or 9 room house, close in; with all modern conveniences. Address B. B., care of News.

WANTED—All the good second-hand furniture and stoves in Waco. No junk. Fields Furniture Co., 210 South Third St., old phone 486.

WANTED TO BUY—NICE CLEAN SOFT RAGS; WILL PAY A GOOD PRICE FOR SAME AND TAKE ALL THAT WE CAN GET. RAGS MUST BE CLEAN. CALL NEWS OFFICE, PHONE 1132, AND ASK ABOUT PARTICULARS.

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Business Chances.

MERCHANTS—Would you be willing to pay us an average of $1.25 per day until you paid $320, provided we increase your cash sales and cash received on account at least 33 1-3 per cent over last year? If we will collect your old slow accounts up 33 per cent clean? If we will bring you all the cash that is now going from your territory into the larger towns and to the mail order houses? Our combined piano and diamond contest will bring you more cash trade than you have enjoyed before, while your competitors must be satisfied with only the credit part. It will put from 50 to 300 live women and girls working for your store for the next eight months and will bring you customers you have never had before. We will accept your order for our contest based upon our guarantee to make the above increase, otherwise it will not cost you a cent. Write to us today concerning our bonded guarantee and exclusive territory. Our contests are as good for the cross-roads country merchants as for the largest department stores. Write at once for particulars. Merchants' Co-Operative Co., 1514 Main St., Dallas, Tex.

WELDON—The best 18-month-old town in East Texas; located on Katy road being extended to Waco; offers fine opportunities for location of investment. For town property or farm lands in large or small tracts, write us. East Texas Development Co., Weldon, Tex.

[illegible] PAYNE & BECKHOUSE for anything in real estate. 403 Amicable, phones 1132.

FOR SALE—Greatest bargain ever offered. A money making proposition. Turn-key pool parlor, located in best part of city. Guarantee a great business. Long lease and cheap rent. Come or write at once if you want a bargain. Vincent Nicosia, 215 Austin St.

Fire Insurance.

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The Versatile Garner.

"Johnny" Garner, as the folks down in the Fifteenth Texas district call their congressman, is a versatile chap, says Fred C. Kelly in Baltimore Sun.

One day he attended the funeral of a comparative stranger. When the funeral party arrived at the grave one of the family asked Garner if he wouldn't say a few words. The congressman was half frightened at the request, for, accustomed though he was to making speeches, trying to say just the right thing extemporaneously at the grave of a comparative stranger is something else again. But there was no way out, and he did his best.

Garner is not especially beautiful to look upon, but his language was polished and highly acceptable as he mentioned lovely traits of the decedent that all the sorrowing friends had not even heard of. When he finished, the only thing that prevented a tumult of applause was the solemnity of the occasion.

On the way back to town Garner rode in the carriage with a man who had long been a political enemy. This man sat and stared at him without speaking until they were almost at their journey's end, and then he suddenly slapped Garner on the thigh, exclaiming:

"Garner, damged if you can't just natu'lly make good all the way from the poker table to the pulpit!"

Two Residences Burn.

Corsicana, Tex., May 12.—Two residences were destroyed by fire today. One was owned by Mrs. Mary Armstrong and the other by W. W. Cage. The loss is estimated at about $6,000, partly covered by insurance.

Soldier's Body Recovered.

Eagle Pass, Tex., May 12.—The body of Private Edward M. Mahan, who was drowned in the Rio Grande last week while he was on outpost duty, twenty miles below town, was recovered yesterday and will be shipped to his old home in Cooksville, Ill.

Wanted—Miscellaneous.

WANTED—To rent 10 room house, close in. 405 N. 7th.

WANTED—To rent, by first of June, two or three furnished rooms for light housekeeping. Can give best references. Address "Local," care of News.

Help Wanted—Female.

WHITE woman to assist semi-invalid to do light housework; $4 per week and board. Old phone 2196.

OLD PAPERS FOR SALE—Nice, clean newspapers, suitable to put under mattings or carpets, or for papering walls or to start fires. Price 15c a hundred. News Office.

Cleaning and Pressing.

NOW is the time to have those spring and summer clothes cleaned, pressed and repaired. Call new phone 468, and we will call of them, make them look like new and deliver them with the smallest possible cost, consistent with first-class work. Burnett's Dye Works, 413 Franklin St.

CLEANING and pressing like it ought to be done; suits pressed 50c; new phone 468. 413 Franklin St. W. M. Burnett.

Typewriters and Supplies.

TYPEWRITERS and supplies; best brands. J. A. Green & Co., The Oliver Agent, Sixth and Austin Sts.

SPECIAL BARGAINS in Olivers, Underwoods, Fox Visibles, Royals, etc. Every Typewriter Adjusted. Address DIXON & HOUGHTON, Steady Premier Agency, 305 Travis St., HOUSTON, TEXAS.

NOT A DIME BENEFIT

DO FOLK THIS SIDE OF M'GREGOR GET FROM THE BOND ISSUE.

Want Bridge at Dripping Springs to Widen the Norwood and Rosenthal Road.

That they do not receive a dime's benefit from the McGregor good roads bond issue of $100,000, although they pay their pro rata share, because they live in this end of that district and their business brings them to Waco or to South Bosque, not back the other way, was one of the arguments advanced by a delegation of citizens of South Bosque, who appeared before the county commissioners yesterday in an effort to secure an appropriation for a bridge at the Dripping Springs crossing of the Bosque. The delegation consisted of Forest Clay, John Hannah, George Caufield, Bob Lyon, Dr. Brown, Charles Moore and Dr. McCormick.

Mr. Moore was spokesman for his crowd. He said:

"We need a bridge at Dripping Springs crossing very badly. No team can pull the sides of the river during wet weather, the children can't get to school, no one can get a doctor when the river is up and I have even known people to get across the river and couldn't get back home for two days.

"The people voted bonds and are paying a special tax of twenty-five cents in addition to the school tax, but we don't get a dime's benefit from the McGregor bond issue, as our business takes us either to South Bosque or Waco, and not back the other way."

Mr. Moore said he had investigated the matter and he understood the bridge would cost between $2500 and $3000. The commission agreed that a bridge was badly needed at that point, but told the delegation that the road and bridge fund was short at this time. The matter, however, was referred to the road superintendent for investigation of cost.

The same delegation secured from the commission an appropriation of $100 to be used in purchasing land which will straighten the Dripping Springs crossing of the Bosque on the Dripping Springs and South Bosque road. This money was to pay J. S. Haley for a strip of land which would widen and straighten the road. The acquisition of this land also will provide for a road which will prevent having to cross the Bosque three times, give a 40-foot roadway and a straight road.

Norwood and Rosenthal Road.

In order to widen the road which runs between Norwood and Rosenthal, the commission purchased on recommendation a strip of land from D. Nehring agreeing to pay at the rate of $80 an acre for same. The land comprises about a quarter of an acre.

The commission authorized the county judge to execute a quit claim deed to D. L. Scott in consideration of $25 for a strip of abandoned roadway 40x200 feet. This is the old road abandoned when the commission agreed to open a road through the McClellan farm at a previous meeting. Mr. Scott desires to close the road.

Proposal of Parkview addition to donate to the county the bridge across Wilson's branch, was referred to Commissioner Boyd. Half of the bridge is in the city limits and half outside, the branch being the city boundary line at that point. Parkview addition owners have constructed the bridge, which is near another bridge, and now desire to give it to the county.

In order to clear title the commission instructed the county judge to execute a quit claim deed to a piece of property lying in Eastland county, in favor of N. M. Bolinger. The property formerly belonged to McLennan county, but was sold some fourteen years ago. The deed is merely to clear title.

For Eagle Springs Road.

The remainder of an appropriation of $2,924.84, made from the McGregor road fund for the construction of the Waldo road, was yesterday given to the residents along the Eagle Springs road for use in improving that roadway. The Waldo people spent $2250 on their road, leaving $684.84 from their appropriation. This was turned over to the Eagle Springs people. George Caufield appeared as a representative of the citizens' committee of that district and told the commissioners his people were willing to use their own wagons and gravel the road as far as possible with the money available. Commissioner Boyd said that was a good place to use the money and the others of the commission agreed. The road runs southwest of McGregor.

Permission to Huaco Heights.

Huaco Heights Realty company was granted permission to cross the public highway from Twenty-third and Austin street with a sewer; also to lay water mains following the White Hall road to a point intersecting the property of that company. The company proposes to run water mains from the fire hydrant on Columbus street near Twenty-ninth street and running along Columbus street to Twenty-ninth, down Twenty-ninth to Barnard and from Barnard west to a point opposite the first alley in the Huaco addition and to connect the sewer at the city limits between Austin and Washington near Twenty-third, running along the branch of the Waco creek to a point near Sanger avenue and the alley of Thirtieth street. They will be required to execute a bond of $1000 to leave the roads and streets in the same condition they are now and not unnecessarily to block the streets or interfere with traffic.

School District Orders.

The commission approved the action of the school board of the independent school district of Lorena in annexing on application adjacent territory to the school district. This was only formal action, as the school board has authority under the law to accept the petition or reject it, of persons in adjacent territory desiring to be taken into the school district.

The election returns for a school tax of 10 cents on the $100 valuation, held May 3 in common school district No. 13, Independence, was canvassed, and the tax declared carried. The vote was 7 for and no votes against.

AD CRAFT DINNER IS TONIGHT

Will Talk of the Baltimore Trip—Several Good Seekers on the Program.

Tonight at 6:30 promptly the members of the Waco Ad club will assemble at the Y. M. C. A. rooms, where they will participate in the regular semi-monthly meeting. This meeting will be devoted in a great measure to the "On to Baltimore" subject. The entire membership is enthusiastic over the national convention, which is to be held June 8, and all are overflowing with the "On to Baltimore" movement.

The American Association of Advertising clubs is made up of the greatest bunch of live wires ever organized into a body for educational, instructive and protection work.

This national body has done more to eliminate fake advertisers and clean the press from unwholesome reading matter than any other factor in the United States. Besides, they have taught the "little fellows"—the smaller advertisers—how to write and construct copy that will bring them greater financial returns on their advertising investments.

The publicity given Waco, Dallas and other cities and the good accomplished therefrom could never be weighed in dollars and cents.

There is no doubt but Waco will send her share of representatives to the Baltimore convention, which will be held June 8 to 13. At the directors' meeting last night, held in Secretary Jackson's office, fourteen names were passed on and will be recommended for membership at tonight's meeting.

Secretary Hankins at the Y. M. C. A. as heretofore will have charge of the luncheon and the usual charge of 25 cents will prevail. There will be some short snappy addresses made by local men. It is assured that the meeting will not be long drawn out. Everything has been arranged for the program at tonight's meeting to move with dispatch, adjournment to take place at 7:45.

WINDROW FILES OFFICIAL BOND

NEW ROAD SUPERINTENDENT WILL BE READY FOR WORK JUNE 1.

IS TO MAKE ROAD MAP FIRST

Will Collect Data of All Road Building Material in the County for Record.

R. J. Windrow, recently elected county road superintendent, yesterday filed with the county commissioners his bond in the sum of $10,000 as provided for by law. Mr. Windrow assumes the duties of his office June 1.

The bond was signed by six individuals, Mr. Windrow making the seventh. The following were the signers: T. K. Lawrence, merchant of Bryan, Brazos county; G. M. Brandon, merchant of the same place; J. M. Gordon, planter of the same place; F. F. Downs, president of the First National Bank of Temple, Bell county; George Haughton, merchant of Temple, and J. C. Nagle, professor of civil engineering at A. & M. College, College Station. W. S. Higgs, county clerk of Brazos county, and F. W. Madison, county clerk of Bell county, made affidavits, which were attached to the bond, that the signers of the bond, residing in their respective counties, were financially good for that amount. The majority of the signers were also known personally by some members of the commission.

Mr. Windrow also filed with the commission a list of the supplies and instruments which he will need to begin the duties of his office. The list totalled approximately $750. The small supplies will be purchased when needed and advertisment for bids for surveying intruments will be made. In this connection, as a separate matter from this list, Commissioners Smith, Mosley and Boyd were instructed to consider the purchase of a hack and team for the surveying party.

Immediately after assuming office Mr. Windrow is to begin the work of making records, from which the roads may be planned. In a communication to the commissioners yesterday he said:

"The first duty will be to start a survey of the roads and the collection of all data relating to same. To do this it will be necessary to run the alignment of each road, obtaining all land lines and making profiles of same. In addition, I will locate all present culverts and bridges, and secure notes as to the type, size, condition, areas drained of each. I expect to make a complete record of the location, kind and value of all road building material in the county, as well as condition of every section of the road.

"After this data is obtained and permanent records and maps made, you can readily see that estimates and plans can easily be made at any time in a short while for construction and improvement of roads.

"To secure these records it will take some time, and I will need a surveying party, of at least three men, to begin with."

Mr. Windrow said he would need a transitman, a rodman and a chainman. The commission considered his recommendations and expressed a willingness to follow them out.

The commission recognized the enormity of the work which will confront the new road superintendent and his force before the permanent records can be obtained. They also were pleased with the assurance that they were soon to have a record of materials in the county of value for road building. This matter has been discussed considerably by the commissioners at recent meetings, and it has been advocated that the county secure as many gravel beds as possible, wherever possible. In this connection as many members of the commission as can will spend an hour today at the work camp of Commissioner Smith's work gang.

They go to look at a gravel bed and will take dinner at the camp. They will make the trip in an automobile, returning in time to begin the afternoon session.

Mr. Windrow was present at the meeting of the board yesterday, and many matters which came up were deferred until he takes office.

Al Alhazar temple of Calgary, Manitoba, Canada, paraded behind a Highland band in kilts, whose members' knees turned pink under the hot sun.

NOT IN FORM, BUT HONEST

Technicalities Were Not Allowed to Interfere in a School Tax Election.

Misunderstanding by election officers and others, with reference to the proper manner of voting, almost caused an invalidation of the recent election on the school tax question, held in common school district No. 21, Mt. Zion school. The election, held May 3, was to determine whether the special school tax of twenty cents on the $100 valuation would be abrogated. Confusion as to just which line of the ballot they should punch to vote according to their desires, resulted in several voting opposite to their intention, when the polls first opened. When informed their vote was different from what they intended, the voters petitioned the judges to open the ballot box and destroy the ballots and revote the ballot according to the desire of each voter. This [illegible] the [illegible].

Yesterday W. R. Dunlap and Dave Farr, two of the election officers, and others interested [illegible] the county commissioners court and explained the action they had taken. The court held that the only [illegible] had of determining the [illegible] of the election was by the official returns. These returns showed [illegible] voters favored the [illegible] while seventeen opposed [illegible] result was declared on the [illegible] returns and the tax [illegible].

The special tax was for [illegible] purposes and has been in force [illegible] time.

"Everyone voted like he thought [illegible] anyhow," said Mr. [illegible], "and that's what we thought [illegible] to do."

NOTICE—Optician hours [illegible] to 6 p. m.

TO ORGANIZE A CLUB

COMMITTEE IS NAMED TO HAVE CHARGE OF THE PRELIMINARY WORK.

Is to Be Down-town Affair and Will Be Limited as to Membership. Cafe Promised.

Plans which have been in process of making for some time for the organization of a Downtown Club, have progressed to the point where an organization committee has been appointed and the formation of the club is to be carried forward at once.

There are two buildings in prospect for the home of the club, and on this point there has not yet been a decision. It is proposed to have two floors of one of two buildings, and these are to be handsomely fitted up and made comfortable for the members and their friends visiting the city. The membership will probably be limited to 150. As Waco is a growing wholesale market and there are many out-of-town customers here every day, it is believed that the merchants will find a club of this character convenient to them for the matter of entertainment. The rooms will be fitted with a high class cafe where members can have lunch or dinner, and where it will be comfortable to spend leisure hours. The clubs of this character in Houston, Dallas and other cities of the state are popular and Waco people who have visited those cities have been delightfully entertained by their friends. Will C. Abeel, Thomas F. Bush and James H. Riley have been most active in promoting the club and they have been much encouraged by the approval that has met their efforts.

Yesterday the following committee on organization was named: E. W. Marshall, Thomas F. Bush, James H. Riley, William C. Abeel, Anderson Riley, A. H. Bell, John F. Wright, J. K. Rose, J. Lee Davis, W. J. Neale, O. H. Ramsey, Lon Willette, Asa Warner, Sol Hirschberg, H. H. Shear, Alex Sanger, E. Rotan, R. J. Tolson, James D. Williams, Roy E. Lane, W. W. Cameron, Clint Padgitt, G. H. Loudds, Charles E. Moore, George Robinson, James Hays Quarles, Walter G. Lacy, Bruce Duncan, Harry M. Baine.

The organization work has been entrusted to this committee and it is the intention to call a meeting within the next few days to take up the matters that are of most importance.

It is necessary that the organization be formed at once and the quarters secured before the work of construction has progressed too far on the building which will be occupied so that the rooms can be built especially to suit the fancies of those who will have in charge the designing of the club rooms.

PHILO CLUB TO HAVE SMOKER

Members Will Hear Talks by Allan D. Sanford and O. L. Stribling Tonight.

The reorganized Philo club will have a smoker tonight at the rooms, corner of Eighth and Austin streets.

Under the enthusiasm of the newly elected president, R. J. Tolson, the club is taking on renewed life and activity and proposes to hold its place in the social life of the city. Recently members got together and decided upon the reorganization and to hold the club together, and this is the first social gathering to be arranged. There will be cigars, refreshments and talks by Allan D. Sanford, O. L. Stribling and others. The affair will commence at 8:30 o'clock.

BONDS ARE BURNED.

Commissioners Destroy the Paid Securities of the City.

Fifteen thousand, six hundred and seventy-seven dollars and fifty cents' worth of bonds and coupons voted for various improvements in the county were canceled and destroyed by fire in the presence of the board of commissioners yesterday.

County Treasurer Lon Wortham presented the canceled and paid bonds and coupons, which under the law must be checked and then destroyed in the presence of the commissioners. The retired bonds of the courthouse and jail series of $1,000 each, totaling $10,000, were burned, as were $465 worth of Brazos river bridge bonds, $400 worth of school district bonds No. 66, $2,175 worth of coupons on McGregor road district; $2,625 worth of county courthouse and jail bonds, and $117.50 worth of coupons on the same bonds.

The coupons and bonds were carefully checked and a coal scuttle brought in. Commissioner Smith applied the match, while a gathering throng of onlookers watched the bits of paper go up into smoke and ashes.

WOMEN STRIVE TO BETTER CITY

MATRON AT CITY HALL, CONCERT FOR PICTURES AND VAUDEVILLE.

OBJECTS OF NEW FEDERATION

Members of Social and Missionary Societies of All Churches Eligible to Join.

Interest in the Federation of Missionary Societies continues to increase and at the meeting held last Saturday to perfect the organization the attendance was very gratifying, for not only the regularly elected delegates from each church society were present, but others who are interested in the work.

Previous to the meeting, committees had been at work forming a constitution and by-laws and outlining a plan of work.

The principal articles of the constitution adopted at this meeting state that the object of the City Federation of Missionary Societies shall be to bring the women of all evangelical churches into closer fellowship one with another; to impart information concerning the different missionary operations carried on by the churches and that the women of these churches may be banded together in one great body for the promotion of the common good of the city.

Work will be carried on under four departments—foreign, home, social service and mission study.

Any woman of any church society whose object is missionary or social may become a member of this federation. There are no dues, but a finance committee will make assessments whenever necessary on the various societies connected with the missionary federation.

Mrs. Patton, chairman of the committee on plan of work, offered many suggestions, any one of which if carried out, will be helpful to the community. Some of the opportunities opened just now and which will be discussed at a later meeting are: A matron for the stations to look after girls and young women and others who may need protection or advice; a visiting missionary for the mill district; the censorship of the moving picture shows and vaudeville; mission work for the foreigners in the city.

It was decided that the federation meet once a quarter, the first regular meeting to be held May 30. This will be an all-day meeting and the invitation of the ladies of the Columbus street Baptist church was accepted.

Every woman in Waco interested in the work is invited to attend the meeting at Columbus street Baptist church and to bring her lunch. The ladies of that church will serve tea and coffee. The program committee for this meeting is composed of Mrs. T. D. Hays, Mrs. G. R. Arbuckle, Miss Ada Richer, Mrs. J. C. Lattimore and Mrs. R. G. Patton.

CORNERS ARE CENTRALIZING

"Express Row" is Latest Addition to the Business Center of Waco.

There are rows and rows, but the latest addition to the business section of Waco is "Express Office Row." Bank Row in New York has nothing on it.

All of the express companies with offices in Waco are now centering their offices, with their conveniences and accurate facilities, the general public is also benefited in the central idea of location.

The Wells Fargo and American companies have practically completed the installation of their equipment in the new quarters. Messrs. Ramsey, Cory and Frazier of the American and Wells Fargo respectively, declare that the fitting-up process will be completed in a couple of days. The rooms that it is understood the Adams, a new express company, intends to take in this city, will shortly be in the hands of the carpenters and decorators. The Adams ticket agency will occupy part of the office of the Wells Fargo.

TO DRIVE ROAD TO [illegible]

[illegible] Auto Tourist Party Passes [illegible].

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CONTRACT FOR NEW [illegible] STORE

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